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OPEFUL PHASE OF

cum Disaster Today Is Steady Decrease In Number of Missing.

Is Still Appallingly Large.

rs Discover Mass of Bodies Wedged In One the Paddle Boxes. Damaging Statement By First Officer. Cortelyou Will Personally Direct Investigation.

York, June 17.—Every hour o the terror of the excursion r disaster of Wednesday when neral Slocum, was burned to the edge near North Brother Is- Divers had explored the wreck steamer yesterday and report- t no more bodies were to be there, but today a diver who work on the sunken hull, found number of bodies packed tight- ide one of the paddle wheels. ow many there were was, is not , but it was planned to remove s soon as possible. The coroner ranged to visit the wreck today purpose of ascertaining, if pos- what evidence of culpability on rt of the Knickerbocker Steam- o., or of the officials of the t any could be secured to pre- the coroner's inquest. There was determined to take out the at that time.

arious hospitals where the in- re, it was said today their con- was satisfactory. There are ly 53 victims of the disaster in spitals.

Additional Dead.

York, June 17.—Additional ication of dead made today at rgue were:

ge Lane, Matilda Moraeles, Car- hael, Daniel Marshall, Elizabeth Kate Morris, Stella Rameneb Bessie Stolliz, Margaret Salk- Emanuel Stahl, Anna Schmd- leo. Timm, Hedwig Timm and ica Vetter.

NUMBER

ad Is Now Estimated Between Nine and Ten Hundred.

y-eight hours after the burning steamer General Slocum the ex- mber of victims is still unknown. early morning hours a few were brought to the morgue, ng the total up to 532. As the ng wore on with no more ar- hope began to be felt that the total had been completed, but it eported that divers on the work discovered a mass of bodies d in one of the paddle boxes. many corpses there will prove to this place will not be known for l hours, as they will not be dis- l until the coroner is on the

hopeful phase of the situation steady decrease in the number issing. It is still appallingly being between 400 and 500. The s officials whose position brings in touch with the disaster, still e to the belief that when all is will be found that between 900 ,000 persons perished.

sad task of burying the dead today. Early in the forenoon eting of the German Lutheran ters of the city was held and a am of services arranged. While ny instances a joint service will ld over several bodies, neverthe- the clergymen of this denomi- have an herculean task before in administering the last rites the dead of their faith.

distressing concentration of the of the disaster is shown by the hat in one apartment in Eighth there are 32 dead, while in an gton street house sixteen bodies burial.

dliminary steps have been taken ree distinct investigations of the ter. These are being undertaken e Federal authorities, through epartment of commerce; by the er and by the district attorney. coroner's inquest will begin on ay next and Captain VanSchaick e Slocum, and six of his crew a hospital with a policeman at edside of each.

e authorities are rapidly gather- uch evidence as will be aidful in taining whether or not there was ct or carelessness in the safety ances of the vessel. First officer rd Flanagan of the Slocum is d in an interview as saying that teamers' fire hose was rotten and ss, and that it burst in a dozen places when he tried to use it. The charge is also made that the life preservers are old and rotten, and in most instances proved inadequate for use. Several papers today print pictures of preservers taken from the Slocum which bear in black letters this inscription: "Passed by U. S. Steamboat Inspector, June 18, ..."

Wm. Trembley, a deck-hand, corroborates Flanagan's statement regarding the defective fire hose and it is reported that evidence has been secured showing that some of the life boats were made fast by wire, making it impossible for them to be cast lose and lowered. All the men who have made these statements will be called as witnesses by the coroner.

Police boats and other harbor craft still maintain their patrol of the East river in the vicinity of the accident in the hope of recovering bodies.

PUBLIC

Asked to Suspend Judgment Until Government Investigates.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor, George B. Cortelyou, who had a long conference with Robert S. Rodie, inspector of the second district of New York, after his arrival here, said today that he would give his personal attention to the federal investigation of the Slocum disaster. Mr. Cortelyou has gone to Westfield, Mass., where he will deliver two addresses. He will return to New York tonight, and begin at once the preliminaries of the investigation. Before leaving for Westfield, the secretary said:

"I wish to say that a most thorough investigation will be made into this most awful tragedy and that no stone will be left unturned to lay bare the truth. As soon as practical the board of inspectors will get together and take testimony. This inquiry will be separate from any proceedings by the city or state officials.

"I want to correct an impression that seems to have gone abroad that this investigation will be left to subordinates in the department. This is absolutely unture. I will hold the inquiry myself and will have ample assistance from the most prominent men in the city. Every one who can throw the least light upon the matter will be brought before the board and the taking of testimony will continue until everyone has been found who can aid us in arriving at a correct estimate of the facts. The sitting will continue until the whole truth is known."

Mr. Cortelyou said that if it was found to be true that employes of the government have been criminally negligent in their inspection of boilers in New York harbor, the public can rest assured that no one will be shielded; but the blame will be placed where it properly belongs.

"I want it thoroughly understood" said Mr. Cortelyou, "that the federal authorities will protect no one; but until it is demonstrated that some one was lax in his duty, or worse, I will stand back of every one in the service.

"Until we have an opportunity of making the investigation I ask that the public will suspend judgment. I promise to do all that I can personally."

NEW HORROR

Added to Distressing Conditions Which Already Prevailed.

It developed today that a new horror had been added to the terrible conditions resulting in the Slocum disaster through the error of some person at the morgue. As a result some of the bodies of the dead probably never will be identified and will go to a last resting place in the humble plot furnished by the city's charity. When the bodies were taken by hundreds from the water and laid in rows on the grass at North Brother Island each was tagged with a number. That number was carefully recorded and the papers, valuables and trinkets which would have served to positively identify the bodies were removed and placed in separate packages, each package bearing a number corresponding to the number on the body from which the articles were taken. The packages then were placed in the custody of the coroner. Scores of the bodies at the morgue were burned or bruised beyond recognition but it was hoped that all might be claimed by friends by means of the papers and jewelry.

When the bodies were taken to the morgue they were placed in numbered boxes but in many cases these numbers did not correspond with the figures the bodies previously had borne. As a result the numbered packages of valuables became practically worthless as a means of identifying the unfortunate owners.

One case which came to the attention of the officials today, was that of A. T. Hill, of Williamsburg. Mr. Hill called at the morgue yesterday and identified the bodies of his brother-in-law, William Richter, and the wife of the latter and they were removed to the office of an undertaker. In the afternoon the bodies of Catherine and Lillian Richter, three and four years old, respectively, also were identified by him. When he called at the morgue today with an undertaker who was to attend to the burial of the bodies they could not be found. The bodies were numbered 173 and 175 respectively and the authorities at the morgue have no record of any such bodies. It is thought that some undertaker was given the bodies in place of two others which he should have taken, through confusion in the numbers.

BLUE EYED

Prattling Baby Found Among Tagged Dead Remains Unclaimed.

New York, June 17.—Saved from the wreck of the steamer General Slocum, there is a little unknown baby boy at Lebanon hospital. Blue eyes and plump, the little fellow creeps about the ward wondering what makes so much excitement.

Nurses of the Island hospital, inspecting the dead, found the baby, where a policeman had laid him down to be tagged with the other unknown dead. They hurriedly carried him to the reception room. Warm milk and a sleep brought the little one around to laughing, crying healthiness.

Late in the afternoon the baby was sent to the Lebanon hospital where it was the only bright spot in the place of sorrow and pain. A man going down the long line scanned the faces of the children anxiously for his own missing ones, saw the baby late at night, and said he thought he knew the parents. He went out to seack them but has not returned to the hospital.

While the divers are confident that the wreck of the Slocum has been cleared of all its dead, the search will be continued today, as there may be bodies lying in the mud around it. Coroner O'Gorman believes there are twenty bodies still unrecovered. He based this assumption on the belief that the number of people on board was very much greater than 1100, the number generally accepted as correct.

Nearly all of the bodies recovered yesterday, were found on the westerly shore of North Brother Island, where the Slocum was first beached and where hundreds went to their death.

JUDICIARY OF ALASKA

Is To Be Given a Thorough Purging of All Its Alleged Rotteness.

Washington, June 17.—Attorney General Knox has been informed by U. S. District Attorney Young for the western district of Penna., that he is unable to accept his appointment as special assistant attorney general to investigate the alleged scandal in the judiciary of Alaska, and Assistant Attorney General Wm. A. Day, has been designated instead. Judge Day will leave for Alaska, about the 28th inst. The president has directed that the inquiry be thorough. he re-appointment of three of the Alaskan judges whose terms already have expired, depends on Judge Day's report.

BULLETIN.

Columbus, O., June 17.—Former Governor Geo. K. Nash, is moribund, being kept alive only by powerful stimulants. He is conscious only at intervals. The physicians have informed Judge Nash that he cannot recover.

BROODED OVER DEATH OF HER ONLY CHILD.

Columbus, June 17.—Mrs. Mabel Wilson, 19, whose husband is in Cleveland, attempted suicide last night by taking strychnine. She had been brooding of late over the death of a child. She will recover.

MAIN

Features of the Plan

Submitted To

Democratic State Central Committee.

It Is To Be All Powerful In Determining All Party Questions.

County Executive Committee to Be Chosen by Central Committee Will Have Sole Charge of all Campaign Direction.

Columbus, June 17.—The main features of the plan of party organization to be submitted to the democratic state central committee today by the sub-committee comprising W. L. Finley, of Kenton; C. P. Salen, of Cleveland, and James I. Gorman, of Ironton, will be the requirement of a state executive committee of nine members and a chairman, which will be all powerful in determining all questions within the party government; a county central committee to comprise one member from every precinct in the city and county, and a county executive committee to be named by the county central committee, to comprise seven members, from which the chairman shall be chosen. This committee will have charge of all campaign direction. In the congressional district meeting at state conventions no contesting delegation shall be recognized or considered as contesting unless it presents credentials attested by the chairman and secretary of the county central committee. Some contest is expected upon the manner of electing county central committeemen in the five larger counties. Exceptions are likely to be made in these to permit the election of the county central committee members at large, instead of by the vote of their respective precincts, as will apply elsewhere.

RAISULI HAS EXAGGERATED

His Demands to Point Where They Have Become Ridiculous. Captives In Danger.

Washington, June 17.—In a cablegram today to the state department, Consul General Gummere at Tangier indicates that the bandit Raisuli, owing to the subserviency of the Moorish officials, has exaggerated his demands to a point where they are becoming ridiculous. It is quite certain that this government will not comply with any of the demands that relate to itself and it cannot consistently require the Sultan to do as Raisuli asks. It is admitted that if the bandit chief means to carry out his threats the captives, Perdicaris and Varley, are in great peril.

IOWA STATE DAY HAVE BIG

Attendance at World's Fair Grounds. Monument Presented With Elaborate Ceremonies.

St. Louis, June 17.—This was Iowa day at the world's fair and the attendance was larger than on any state day, except Missouri day.

The Iowa monument at the head of the cascades on the terrace of states, was presented to Iowa by Isaac S. Taylor, director of works of the exposition and accepted by Commissioner Leroy A. Palmer, of Mount Pleasant, Iowa. At the state pavilion addresses were made by Governor Cummins, former Governor Larrabee, president of the Iowa world's fair commission; President David R. Francis of the exposition and others.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE OF TOLEDO DAMAGED.

Toledo, June 17.—Fire in the basement of the Produce Exchange building last night caused about $15,000 loss. The department confined it to the basement, and the upper stories were not damaged, save by smoke. Two firemen were overcome by smoke but will recover.

APPLICATION WAS DENIED.

Counsel for Nan Patterson Refused Right to Inspect Grand Jury Records.

New York, June 17.—The application of council for Mrs. Nan Patterson who is charged with the murder of Caesar Young, the bookmaker, to inspect the minutes of the grand jury in conection with the indictment of Mrs. Patterson was denied today by Judge Newburger in the court of general sessions. In denying the application, Judge Newburger set next Tuesday as the day for pleading.

BUCKED

The Tiger and Lost the Long Green

And Now Seeks to Recover Through the Courts.

Jimmy Jacobs Does Not Take Kindly to Having to Furnish Cream for the "Kitty" and Brings Suit.

During the past year, several suits in common pleas court were prosecuted under the statutes governing the liability of those conducting gambling rooms, and the docket was pretty well cleaned up of this class of cases. It has been a long time since a new case was filed, but another bobbed up serely yesterday afternoon in which J. A. Jacobs appears as plaintiff and D. F. McCarthy, Otis Wilson, John E. Maxwell and Charles J. Maxwell, defendants.

The petition was filed by Kent W. Hughes, who makes the allegation for the plaintiff that the defendants are engaged in conducting numerous gambling devices in rooms above the Pabst saloon, and that between the 7th of May and the 7th of June, Jacobs dropped into the hungry maw of the "tiger" the sum of $202.

Jimmy Jacobs was until recently in charge of the Brunswick bowling alleys, and could give all comers a run for their money in "five back" and "cocked hat", but it seems that he was easily blinded by the glare from the green cloth, and was compelled to take out several knots in the old stocking. The law holds out to him a slender thread, with which he may pull back his losings, and he asks judgment for the amount claimed to have been lost, together with the $500 exemplary damages.

To the Grand Jury.

Marion Shobe, who is not a stranger in police circles, has been bound over to the grand jury on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was sent to jail by Mayor Robb, to await the pleasure of Judge Miller, and the latter decided yesterday to let the grand jury investigate Shobe's threatening altitude with a loaded revolver.

BULLETS FLEW IN LABOR RIOT.

Two Non-Union Men Will Probably Die From Wounds Received Today.

Cleveland, June 17.—In a fight between union and non-union structural iron workers on the Superior street viaduct, Edward Lamb of Dayton, and David Jennings of this city, have received several bullet wounds and will probably die as a result of their injuries. A crowd of twenty union men attacked half a dozen non-unionists employed on the Rockefeller building, under course of construction. Among the latter were Jennings and Lamb. A number of other men were badly beaten. The police have made several arrests in connection with it.

ON SUNDAY DEATH CAME

Findlay's Coroner Doesn't Know Much About How Torpedo Accident Did Happen.

Findlay, O., June 17.—The verdict of Coroner Balsley in connection with the explosion at the Lake Shore torpedo factory several weeks ago, which resulted in the death of half a dozen persons, and the injury of many others, was rendered today. The coroner finds "The victims came to their death by being employed on Sunday in the torpedo department of the Lake Shore Novelty Company's works. Whoever or whatever caused the explosion is unknown."

FULLER IS IN PRISON.

Correspondent of Indianapolis News Captured by Russian Soldiers.

Scene Was One to Inspire Awe.

Member of Associated Press War Staff Sends Wonderful Description of Late Battle. General Stakelberg's Forces Have Added Glorious Page to Russia's History.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., JUNE 17.—A CABLEGRAM TO THE INDIANAPOLIS NEWS, FROM STANLEY WASHBURN, SAYS THAT ETZEL THE SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT OF THE INDIANAPOLIS NEWS HAS BEEN CAPTURED BY FOUR RUSSIAN SOLDIERS, AND TAKEN TO PORT ARTHUR. HE WAS BLINDFOLDED AND PLACED IN PRISON.

WASHINGTON, JUNE 17.—THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED HE FOLLOWING REPLY FROM MINISTER GRISCOM AT TOKIO, IN RESPONSE TO ITS INQUIRY REGARDING THE DISAPPEARANCE OF HECTOR FULLER, THE INDIANAPOLIS WAR CORRESPONDENT: "WASHBURN, OF THE CHICAGO NEWS, STATES THAT FULLER WAS ARRESTED AT PORT ARTHUR ON THE 13TH. INST."

TOKIO, JUNE 17.—11 A. M.—IT IS PROBABLE THAT THE FOG HAS AGAIN SAVED THE VLADIVOSTOK SQUADRON. MANY RUMORS ARE EXTANT OF AN ACTION AT SEA, BUT THEY ARE NOT CONFIRMED.

TOKIO, JUNE 17.—3:30 P. M.—A REPORT HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE POLICE STATION AT SAGA, NEAR SASEBO, SAYING THAT THE SOUNDS OF CANNONADING HAVE BEEN HEARD OFF THE COAST.

IT IS POSSIBLE THAT A JAPANESE FLEET HAS MET THE RUSSIANS.

OFFICERS

And Men Vied With Each Other In Pluck and Heroism.

Liao Yang, June 17.—A correspondent of the Associated Press, who was present at the battle of Vafangow, describes the fighting as follows: "The stern, dogged fighting at the battle of Vafangow, was like another borodino. The roars of the machines and the boom of the cannon still ring in one ears.

"Throughout the three days of combat the officers and men vied with each other in pluck heroism. They have added a glorious page to Russia's military history.

"The enemy's advance originally included the fifth, eighth and eleventh divisions, twelve squadrons of cavalry and splendid artillery. About two hundred guns were belching a continuous stream of shot and shell. Large reinforcements enabled them to turn the Russian flanks. A diversion on the right precipitated the battle on the morning of June 15.

"Major General Gerngross, who was wounded, commanded the left flank, and General Loutchkovsky commanded the center including four battalion concealed in a small wood, whence they dealt death and destruction on the enemy.

"The Russian right was protected by Cossacks, dragoons and Siberian rifles.

"While the big guns were thundering, I made my way at about 11 a. m., to the Russian right flank and climbed a hill whence I could view the whole field of battle. Behind me a battery had taken up a position from which it kept up a continuous fire upon the advancing ranks of the enemy. Through glasses I could see the Sandy Valley of Tassa. The heights of Foo Chou, the railroad bridge and the surrounding copses were occupied by the Japanese infantry. Then blacklines of infantry, like threads, could be seen creeping through the verdure.

Nearer the slope of a hill was dotted by the grey shirts of Russian rifle men. A brownish smoke overhung some of the batteries and others showed flashes of flame. The crack of rifle fire was punctured by the roar of the big guns. Occasionally I heard the hiss of a Japanese bullet.

"The scene was awe-inspiring. Over the Russian center and left flank hovered chocolate clouds from bursting shrapnel. It was evident that the tide of battle was coming toward the Russian right. I saw reserves hurrying forward, the Cossacks galloping, followed by columns of infantry at the double. Suddenly they disappeared in an adjacent defile. The valley where the Russians had camped was emptied as if by magic. Rattling volleys were fired behind the screen of hills which concealed the fighting troops from view in that direction, the sound of the firing being the only evidence of the deadly struggle proceeding there.

"This continued for half an hour. Sudderly a company of Cossacks appeared on the crest of a hill and began to descend. They were followed by infantry. The Japanese gunners promptly pursued them with shrapnel. Horses and men began falling.

"A moment of harrowing suspense was relieved by a thunderous shout of "Hurrah."

"It was from a couple of thousands of Russian troops just brought up by train. They quickly jumped from the cars, fixed bayonets and literally ran into the fight.

"Again the crack of musketry under cover, during which the retiring Russian regiments formed up and moved off in complete order toward the railroad. While a long line of commissariat wagons, escorted by Cossacks, took to the road, a battery of horse artillery stationed near the railroad banged away furiously as it covered the retreat. The Japanese shells were then falling on the station buildings, from which train after train had moved.

"I descended the hill and just succeeded in jumping on the foot board of the last car. Some of the Russians batteries on the left flank were still firing.

"The main force then began slowly to retreat towards Vantsialin (thirty miles north of Vafangow), and at about one in the afternoon had accomplished its strategetic mission. The battle of Vafangow had deflected considerably the Japanese forces from Port Arthur.

"The fighting was glorious. For two days the Russian regiments valorously maintained their positions and took the offensive on the left, so pressing the enemy there that a couple of Japanese batteries fell into the Cossack's hands. The Russian soldiers went into the battle, singing, their spirits not affected by the fierce heat and furious cannonading, whose intensity may be gauged from the influence it had on the atmosphere conditions. Rain drops fell like tears at the height of the battle, although the day dawned clear.

"Many Russians have fallen, but a greater number of Japanese were killed. The Russian shells and bullets mowed them down like wheat. The whole valley was bestrewn with their corpses and the river Tassa ran red. But it was with Japanese more than with Russian blood.

"I left on the last train, with Gen. Stakelberg. This train collided with the one preceeding it, near Vantsialin, but was not damaged.

"When passing Kai Chou, we saw three Japanese cruisers.

"The whole road north was occupied by Russian troops. The Russians say the Japanese cannot advance much further north, even when they recover from the effects of the battle of Vafangow."

Got a Send On Her.

London, June 17.—The Japanese legation has received a despatch from Tokio announcing that the Russian Vladivostok squadron was sighted off Oki Island yesterday.

Stakelberg Loses 1000.

St. Petersburg, June 17.—The news of the result of the battle at Vafangow reached the morning paper's too late to allow of comment. The public seem to accept the results stoically and are content that the Russians

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LEFT THE BAG EMPTY

And Is Supposed to Have Fled With His Own Pockets Well Lined.

Ezra Place An Absconder

According to a Mass of Tell Tale Evidence Which Is Piling Up Around Him. Scores of Firms Defrauded In a Most Flagrant Manner.

Further probing into the sudden and startling collapse of the firm of Place & Myers to which several chapters have already been given, bring to light additional proof of the guilt of the senior member of the firm, and leaves the fact undisputed that he is an absconder

In addition to his having defrauded in many ways, dozens of manufacturers, who seemed to have implicit confidence in the firm, it now comes to light that Place has mortgaged his farm of 180 acres for all it is worth and sold his undivided interest in the homestead left at the death of his father, James Place, who was a man of considerable means. These facts gathered in the course of investigation by Receiver Copeland and the sheriff, leave no further room for doubting that there was a wholesale attempt to defraud, and it is not surprising that the man for whom a reward is now standing has fled to parts unknown.

On the other hand, Jefferson Myers, his partner, has helped to sustain his denial of any complicity in the serious of questionable transactions, by assiting Receiver Copeland to locate much of the missing property. Scattered over three counties are car loads of all manner of vehicles, and farm machinery, including plows, cultivators, binders, reapers, mowers, wagons, buggies, phaetons and carriages. Some of these were sold outright for various prices, many below the cost of manufacture. Others were given to secure the loan of money, still others sold on the installment plan, and not a few taken to outlying farms for the purpose of hiding them from the firms to which they belonged

Receiver Copeland has spent several days riding from point to point in Allen, Auglaize and Logan counties, and his tour of investigation has resulted in unearthing several big lots of goods, which he immediately took possession of. The result will be numerous actions in law, as claims and counter claims will be made to pile up a mass of litigation in the civl courts.

Mr Myers accompanied Attorney Copeland on another trip today, having knowledge of several sales of which he did not know the nature, and it is expected that more property will be brought within the receiver ship.

Yesterday on the two farms of Alfred Gossard, east of Waynesfield, were found cultivators, wagons, plows and vehicles, some stored in the barn, and others on the fields

Place was also dealing in horses, and a number were found at the home of Robert Means at Waynesfield, which the latter claims to have bought outright. The transaction will have to be proven, however, in the course of clearing up the astonishing business tangle

Other goods were found at Jackson Center, and Godfrey Gross was instructed by the receiver to hold them The firms manufacturing the vehicles have also notified Mr Gross not to turn them over to Mr Copeland unless he brought an action in replevin.

At Lakeview, goods shipped in cars were taken possession of, and 17 buggies were found at Wapakoneta which had been taken by Attorneys Goeke & Haskins to secure a debt against the firm. The People's National bank at Wapakoneta had also taken possession of 18 buggies at Waynesfield

Deputy Sheriff Summers went to the home of Melissa Place yesterday and found two buggies and a phaeton which will be added to the list recovered, but which will require the courts decision before the ownership can be established

Another strong point against Place is the sale of his stock in Lima and Lakeview, on the very day that he called at the office of Attorneys Goeke and Hoskins for the purpose of taking steps to make an assignment The sale was made to J T Van Horn of Lakeview, who paid part cash and gave a chattle mortgage for the balance Receiver Copeland took the stock in charge and Mr Van Horn is another who is left to hold the sack unless he can get relief through the courts

Jefferson Myers has made the statement that he did not have any money in the business Place furnished the capital, handled all the money that came in, signed the checks and conducted the banking business He adds that he did not know anything about the inside methods and so far as being a party to the frauds that have been discovered, expresses as much surprise as those who are numbered among the victims' Just a few days ago, he cashed $1200 worth of securities at the Ohio National bank, which he turned over to Place. For a year or more the firm conducted business on a legitimate plan, and by making prompt payments, and discounting bills, succeeded in gaining the confidence of the manufacturers in scores of cities, who gave them unlimited credit.

It is impossible to give any thing like correct figures in reaching a conclusion as to the liabilities. They will run far up into the thousands, and may figure as much as $75,000. Much of the stock has been recovered, but on all of it, Place seems to have succeeded in getting some, if not all of the purchase price, which, added to what he is supposed to have secured on his estate, will enable him to put the width of a continent between himself and those whom he has so successfully duped.

FULLER IS.

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made a gallant and stubborn fight until the arrival of fresh battalions of the enemy compelled General Stakelberg's troops, weary and exhausted with three days hard fighting, to give way. The invalid Russ points out that the Japanese had to give up the attack on the Russian left and with all their reserves concentrated, only succeeded in crushing the Russian right after a whole day's fighting

A special despatch to the Associated Press from Liao Yang contains the first Russian estimate of General Stakelberg's losses, placing them at 1,000 men and twenty officers

The same despatch says General Stakelberg had assumed the offensive when the Japanese reinforcements came up.

The present situation is not clear, although it is believed that General Stakelberg will continue to retire to the northward. It is possible, however, that reinforcements are being sent to his support This might be inferred from a significant message just received from one of the Associated Press' correspondents at Tashichio reporting an enormous movement of troops, including cavalry and infantry, along the railroad, but the correspondent was not allowed to say in which direction the troops were marching. It may be, therefore, reinforcements moving to support General Stakelberg or the force of that commander retiring to the northward The message also says that the whereabouts of Major General Mistchenko is not known, and this latter statement may be pregnant with significance

Families Ordered Away.

Vladivostok, June 17 —The commander of the fortress, General LaVroff has issueod an order warning all civilians to make immediate provision to send their families into the interior so as to avoid peremptory expulsion at a moment of sudden necessity There are three thousand women and children here

Reinforcements Did It.

Liao Yang, Thursday June 16 —During the night of June 14. the Russian forces under General Stakelberg which had been engaged with the Japanese for two days slept in their position, four miles south of Vafangow and on the morning of June 15th, assumed the offensive and attacked the Japanese lines The battle lasted all day and the Russians inflicted heavy loss on the enemy No doubt was felt by the Russians of their ability to force the Japanese back, but heavy reinforcements for the enemy had been brought out rapidly from the south, arriving in time to turn the scale

An entire division of fresh Japanese troops was thrown into line against the already tired Russians and the immense superiority in numbers enabled them to overlap the left flank of the Russians, who had not sufficient men to meet the turning moment and were forced to withdraw upon Vafangow The Russians retired reluctantly and doggedly, and unhampered

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Made to Supply
a Need
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Now Made to Supply
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More than a Million Sold every Day

Etzel's Death Without Cause.

New Chwang, June 17—6 a m.—The investigation of the death of Lewis Etzel, correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph, who was killed by Chinese soldiers off the coast of Liso Tung peninsula, June 7, when cruising in a junk between Shawartaitze and Erdicko in company with Ernest Brindle, correspondent of the London Daily ail has been finished The jury finds that there was not the slightest cause for attacking the correspondents and makes several recommendations which United States Consul Miller does not wish published now Consul Miller is expected at Pekin today for the purpose of making a personal report on the affair to Minister Conger

Active Operation Imminent.

St. Petersburg, June 17—A despatch received from Vladivostok today, showing that the commander there is getting rid of the remaning civilian population strengthens the belief here that preparations are being made at Vladivostok for the reception of Rear Admiral Withoft's squadron when it comes out of Port Arthur and that active operations against the city are imminent.

Papers Laud Dead Governor.

St. Petersburg, June 17—The assassination of Gen Bobrikoff has stirred up a great sensation and is temporarily absorbing interest from the war The papers are filled with extended biographies of the diseased, detailing the difficulties of his office editorials denunciatory of the crime and comments on the condition in Finland The Novoe Vremya says that Bobrikoff, as the representative of supreme authority in Finland proved himself to be a stout and honest defender of Russia's policy

COMMANDER

Ordered Flag to Be Burned and Then Killed Himself

Tokio, June 17—9 a m—Details in connection with the sinking of the transport Hitachi by Russian warships are being furnished by survivors The Russian ships were sighted at seven o'clock in the morning, and in response to a signal the Hitachi was stopped, but at 10 o'clock got under way again and attempted to escape The Russians followed and opened a heavy fire directed about the water line with evident intention of destroying the troops on board The fire was terrific and in a few minutes the decks were covered with corpses and awash with blood One shell which struck the engine room killed two hundred men. The ship began to fill and sunk gradually by the stern At six o'clock in the evening she was completely submerged Captain Campbell, the English master of the transport, jumped overboard at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and is numbered among the missing The chief engineer was killed on the bridge The commander of the troops ordered the flag to be burned and then killed himself The second mate committed suicide Many of the crew and troops escaped in the boats

The transport Sado is still afloat, but is badly damaged She is being towed into the nearest port She sighted the Russian ship, 35 miles west of Shiro Island The signals to stop were unheeded so the Russians opened fire and signaled for those on board the Sado to leave the ship Upon that the crew took to the boats and in this way many escaped when the ship was eventually fired by the enemy The number of men on board enemy The number of men on board casualties are not as yet obtainable

TEN YEARS IN BED.

For ten years I was confined to my bed with disease of my kidneys, writes R A Gray, J P, of Oakville Ind It was so severe that I could not move part of the time I consulted the very best medical skill available, but could not get no relief until Foley's Kidney cure was recommended to me It has been a God send to me' H F Vortkamp and W M Melville

WHAT

May Be Considered Dying

Statement Of

Assassinated Governor of Finland

All Trouble In His Country He Attributed to Work of Swedes.

Helsingfors Gave Him No Rest, Night or Day. Seemed to Boil Automatically With What He Called Swedomania.

Helsingfors, Finland, June 17.—Gen. Bobrikoff, governor general of Finland, who was shot yesterday at the entrance to the senate, died at one o'clock this morning. The people are calm and there is no excitement.

Dying Statement of Governor.

St Petersburg June 17—1 35 p m—What may be regarded as General Bobrikoff's dying declaration concerning the conditions in Finland, is contained in an interesting statement made to M Beliefl, a Russian literary man, who has just completed a tour of the country, and who had a long talk with the late governor general Tuesday Bobrikoff regarded the present situation very auspiciously, expressing satisfaction The Finns, he said, thoroughly understood the state of affairs and were manifesting correct relations toward the Russian administration

He continued The trouble is all with the Swedes. Swedomania is still a very strong propaganda and is pushed in the most underhanded and disreputable fashion In order to poison the people's minds, proclamations are showered from Sweden We seize what we can but they form a regular hydra Wherever one head is chopped off, another grows My sympathies are on the side of the old Finns, who form seven-eighths of the population I believe in them The majority of the senate is composed of old Finns I selected them I prefer them to the Swedes hence the hostility of the latter Helsingfors gives men no rest night or day The city is a hot bed of dissension It seems to boil automatically because of the hostility and rivalry between the parties I repeat that I rely mostly on the old Finns The young Finns and the Swedish party are much the same the only difference being that the former are more cowardly than the latter. The socialist party, of which the young Finns are the heart and soul is a cunning time serving organization

The Swedish proclamations are having little effect, the conscripts them selves bringing them to us in bundles

He who steals my purse, steals trash and the dealer who sells me imitation of Rocky Mountain Tea, robs his customer of that which enriches him not, but leaves my health poor indeed 35 cents H F Vortkamp.

Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar is the original Laxative cough cure It is the best Laxative cough syrup made Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar contains the antiseptic, healing, soothing and strengthens properties of the native pine combined with other ingredients in a laxative syrup made from pure strained honey. Cures all coughs and strengthens weak lungs For sale by H F Vortkamp.

ManZan is certainly a specific for Piles This new discovery is put up in a collapsible tube, with nozzle, so it may be applied where most needed Stops the pain instantly and cures For sale by H. F. Vortkamp.

Opportunities

Such as this store offers you for a limited period, are seldom met with, even here where bargains abound.

A Discount of 25 Percent on all Clothing.

Is the buying chance we offer the patrons of this thoroughly high class store.

Our stock is superior while our prices are as reasonable as others ask for shoddy goods.

And you figure your own discount.

H. A. ALBRECHT

The American Clothier.

"MEET ME AT THE LIMA HOUSE CORNER."

FELTZ BRO'S & Co
RELIABLE GOODS HONEST DEALINGS AND LOW PRICES
TRADE MARK

SPECIAL SALE.

"Home Goods"---Tinware, Granitware, Galvanizedware, Woodenware, Glassware, Chinaware and Kitchen Utensils. This grate sale attracted hundreds of economical purchasers yesterday, everyone delighted with the goods and the money-saving prices.

This Sale Ends Tomorrow (Saturday) Night. Don't Delay Until Too Late.

39c for a set of good common Knives and Forks.
7c for a good all-wire Egg Beater.
8c for a good wire mesh Sieve.
5c for a 10c glass Vinegar Cruet.
7c for a 10c glass Lamp Chimney.
10c for a full size hatchet, worth double
10c for a 10c bosom and sleeve Ironing Board.
35c for a genuine "Buffalo" Egg Poacher
95c for a No 9 Copper Teakettle, nickel plated
$1 39 for a set of triple-plated Knives and Forks
25c for a good hand Saw with 20 inch blade.
2c for a box of good Tooth Picks
2c for a 110 leaf ink Writing Tablet.
10c for a one-burner Gas Stove.
7c for a 10c Cotton Mop.
1c for a good Stove Lid Lifter.
3c for a good wire Toaster or Broiler
7c for one dozen tin Tea Spoons
10c for a pure aluminum Pie Plate.
4c for one of the best Tack Pullers made.
9c for one dozen "Eagle" Lead Pencils.
19c for a good, 7 inch Monkey Wrench.
25c for extra quality Hair Brush, worth double.
39c for a No. 1, full weight galvanized Washtub.
9c for (handle won't come off) Carpet Beater.
5c for one of the best Dust Pans on the market.
4c for a high grade No. 2 Lamp Burner.
10c for a 7x9 inch stained frame Mirror.
1c for a dozen best Clothes Pins.
59c for a "Chautauqua" Blackboard and Desk
89c for an adjustable, well made Ironing Table.
2c for enameled handle Tracing Wheel
2c for a No. 1, crimped top Lamp Chimney.
79c for a set Mrs Potts' nickeled Sad Irons.

During this sale 10 per cent off on all Graniteware.

Visit the Dry Goods Department on the ground floor. New Shirtwaists, new Wash Goods, new Underwear, new Prints, new Draperies, new Hosiery, new Laces, new Infants' Coats.

The standard "Designer", patterns and fashion sheets for July are here.

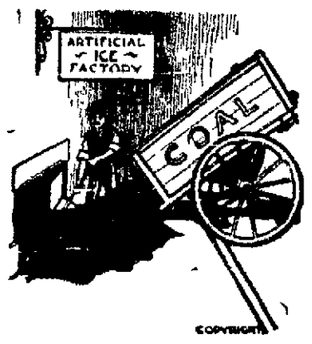
I-3 OFF

On All Parasols at

People's Outfitting Company,

54 Public Square.

During the summer kidney irregularities are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foleys' Kidney Cure H F Vortkamp and W M Melville.



Coal for Manufacturers.

confectioners, restaurants, bakers, etc, while different from ordinary stove coal, needs to be of prime quality to give good returns. There'll be no question as to the grade of steam or furnace coal you get if the order is lodged with us, and we make special point of prompt delivery. A 'phone call will set our wagons in motion. Know the number? 153 either girl

Consumers Fuel, Building & Supply Co.

No good health unless the kidneys are sound Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys right. H F. Vortkamp and W M Melville.

For sick headache take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain For sale by all druggists

Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar is different from all other cough syrups. It contains antiseptic properties to destroy the germs, solvent properties to cut the phlegm, and laxative properties to cleanse the system Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar is a pleasant, permanent cure for all coughs, colds, lung and bronchial affections. H F. Vortkamp

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ie Officials Inspecting

al Yards.

Side News Items Of Interest.

arson Fell and Sus-ined a Broken Arm.

ut the Harry Buck Drown-Little Rock, Ark. Fun-of Mrs. Sarah Apple-. Brief Mentions.

y a party of Chicago & Erie fficials made an inspection rds and offices. The party l O. Dunkle, general super- J. H. Klein, trainmaster; ler, division engineer, and ls, division freight agent.

dorrison, the genial ticket ie C. & E. depot, has on dis- ticket office, a photograph t. Louis of the party of Erie nts who visited the great veral Filipinos of the Iggor- a tribe of dog eaters. The a good one, and Mr. Morri- ud of it, as each and every perfectly plain.

ıd Breaks An Arm.

ıy afternoon, Ray Pearson, ır old son of Mr. and Mrs arson, of east Kibby street, g about the P. F. depot, and ng to stand on a piece of le rolled, throwing the lad ound and breaking his left below the elbow. The boy his grandmother's, a Mrs. entral avenue, had the arm and walked to the home of s. Although the fracture painful, the lad was plucky is sister went to a physician ed the fracture.

ned While Swimming.

leveloped, through a letter end of Harry Buck's, at Lit- o the bereaved parents, who anklin street, that the young death by drowning while in The letter also states that is still missing. Benjamin father, who is a traveling ved home yesterday, and his son's death. The sister, beth Buck, has arrived from wn, Ia.

Funeral Notice.

eral of Mrs Sarah Appleton, yesterday morning, will be rrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, h Lima Baptist church. The ıat, of St. Marys, will of-

Brief Mentions.

te Erie and Western check l last night.

za Pifer, of west Vine street, been very ill for several slowly sinking.

Hicks, the man who lost s as a result of coming in ith a live wire in the rear rt house, a couple of years who afterward moved his om east Second street to ansas, dropped in last night with friends.

nbers of the new Erie trains Chicago and Buffalo are 9

r Charles Peltier, of the re, with headquarters at on, O., is visiting his family, Pine street.

arion Sheets, who has been ill at the home of her par- and Mrs. D. Blume, on east reet, was able to walk to home on west Kibby street

ildren of Mr. and Mrs Oscar Second street, are reported carlet fever.

isiting friends and relatives , N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. ve returned to their home on in street.

on. Harrod and son Harry, e to Cleveland, to visit her Iva.

an Flynn, of west Vine street, e their household effects to , tomorrow.

S. Peltier, of south Pine hostess tot Mrs Elizabeth rincipal of the Wallace, Ida- chools.

thaline Duncan family yes- oved to north Lima, from the property on Second street.

encer, the butcher, has pur- e Wm Davis property at 554 st street.

Sanders, of Third street, is ick list

d Mrs. George Greene of are guests of Mrs. Ollie Bow- f Reece avenue.

oneta relatives are entertain- I. Byland, of Greenlawn

imer Nolf, of Second street. rned from a visit with rela- Wapakoneta

Thompkins, of south Pine street, entertained his nephew, Cloyd Irwin, yesterday who was enroute from California to Altoona, Pa

LAKE ERIE & WESTERN EXCURSIONS.

Sunday Lake special leaves every Sunday at 7 a. m Rate to Sandusky and return $1.00 Cedar Point $1.25.

Brotherhood Excursion.

On Thursday, June 23rd, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Trainmen will run a poular excursion to Cedar Point. Special train will leave Lima at 6 10 a m. Rate $1.25. This excursion promises to be the big one of the season

Muncie and Lafayette, Ind.

On Sunday, June 19th, train leaving Lima at 5 a. m Rate to Muncie $1.00, Lafayette $1.50.

SPECIAL

Service Will be Given By the Erie

To Bring Crowds to Lima On the Fourth of July.

Semi-Annual Meeting of Directors of the Vanderbilt Lines Held In New York Yesterday—Railroad News.

The Erie will give special service between Marion and Ohio City, on July Fourth, to accommodate the people who wish to attend Lima's big celebration. One special train west bound, will leave Marion at 11 o'clock in the morning of the Fourth and will make all local stops between Marion and this city. To take the crowds home, special trains will leave this city at 10 p m. one going east and one going west, making all stops between this city, and Marion and between Lima and Ohio City. In addition to the special trains, regular trains 21 and 22, due here at 8:42 and 821 a. m., will make all local stops between Ohio City and Marion.

THE BIG SHOW.

An Entertainment Comprising All Known Amusement Elements.

All the tents of the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth are lighted by a new light and every seat contains a patent foot-rest. In the menagerie tent, when that institution comes here on Monday, June 27th, there will be seen without extra charge one of the most original and highly entertaining exhibitions ever devised. It comprises a medley of skillful and curious musicians, with high-class specialty artists and others The musicians perform upon queer, quaint, and odd instruments. Then there are exhibitions by the fire-kings, the men who swallow hot live coals and devour burning flames of fire, male and female magicians, jugglers, and prestidigitators whose marvelous sleight-of-hand performers are almost miraculous, singing and dancing by whole troupes of amazing midgets, and displays by the freaks This is the very unique and astonishing free exhibition in the menageries tent, and it takes place just before the regular performances. In the same inclosure are also to be found the baby elephant, "Speck," smallest horse in the world, and the midgets. There are also three herds of elephants, a herd of giraffes cages of wild beasts, and scores of animals in leash The performances comprises nearly 100 marvelous acts in three rings, on two stages, a race track, an aerial enclave, with many notable features, such as Cyclo, the Kinetic Demon, Velo, the Volitant Chico and Solo the Unicyclists, Ancilotti looping the gap, the acrobatic and aerial displays, etc. The free street parade contains, besides many other grand features, a 40 horse team Everybody should see it.

Interesting to Asthma Sufferers.

"I have had asthma for three or four years and have tried about all the cough and asthma cures in the market," says Daniel Bantz, of Otterville, Iowa, "and have received treatment from physicians in New York and other cities, but got very little benefit until I tried Foley's Honey and Tar which gave me immediate relief and I will never be without it in my house I sincerely recommend it to all." For sale by H. F. Vortkamp and W. M. Melville.

EXCURSION TO TOLEDO.

June 29th The Ladies Aid Society of First U B church, will have charge of this excursion and an enjoyable outing is planned Also a side trip by boat to Detroit and return for 50 cents, will be the feature of the excursion. Toledo and return $1 25.

WEATHER REPORTS BY TELEPHONE.

The Lima Telephone and Telegraph Co, have arranged in connection with the United States Telephone Co, to furnish their patrons the daily 10 a m. forecasts of the U. S. weather bureau.

Subscribers may obtain same by calling up central at any time after 10 30 a. m, standard time, including Sundays and holidays. 62-2t w-1t

CASTORIA. Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

NEW

Commander Selects His Staff.

Two Lima Men

Selected by Colonel B. M. Moulton.

E. F. Davis and O. H. Hollister Are Given Places On the Staff.

George Hall, Of This City, Is Elected a Member of the Council of Administration—Delegates Chosen.

MOULTON

A despatch from Tiffin, dated last night, says:

"Department commander Moulton this afternoon announced the following staff appointments. Assistant Adjutant General, E. F. Davis, Lima; Assistant Quartermaster General O. H. Hollister, Lima; Chief of Staff, Matt J. Day, Cincinnati; Judge Advocate General, Newton D. Tibbols, Akron. At the closing session the following council of administration was chosen: George Hall, Lima; J. Cory Winans, Troy; Col. Harvey, Toledo; Wm. Horn, Salem; Max Silberberg, Cincinnati. The work of the encampment is concluded and the city is being rapidly emptied of its vast horde of visitors. Largest and best encampment which the department has had in years.

"At the business session of the G A. R., today, the following delegates to the national encampment in Boston, were chosen: District 1, John Kissane, Cincinnati; 2, G. H High, Cincinnati; 3, Adam Bridge, Felicity; 4, J. H. Higby, Hillsboro; 5, Sam S. Winterstein, Hamilton; 6, Adam Stein, Dayton; 7, G. T Cost, Xenia; 8, D. P. Pratt, Portsmouth; 9, W. S. Mathews, Toledo; 10, L. J. Culter, Marietta; 11, Lewis H. Hunter, Lancaster; 12, W. H. Clive, Norwalk; 13, James K. Cheetam, Urbana; 14, Henry Wellman, Ft. Recovery, 15, W. P. Cook, Columbus Grove, 16, F. R. Stewart, Fostoria; 17, J. H. Homer, Galion; 18, J F Carren, Delaware; 19, N. O. Nash, Newark; 20, W. H. King, Coshocton; 21, Clark Bundy, Chester Hill; 22, D D. Taylor, Cambridge; 23, John H. Morrison, Lisbon; 24, J. A. Wilson, Phoenix; 25, Henry J. Shook, Kent; 26, T. D. Hill, Mansfield; 27, John W. Myers, Defiance; 28, E W. Blizzard, Wauseon, 29, Orson Sage, Toledo, 30, H. N. Aldrich, Elmore; 31, J C Kroesen, Columbus, 32, Alpheus Houck, Wellington; 33, R. J. Palmer, Akron; 34, D. P. Mount, Cleveland; 35, Mathew Dickey, Mentor. W. G. Bently, Cincinnati, aciegate-at-large, and C. T. Lease, Salem, alternate at large

IT'S ALWAYS BAD.

The Best of Backs Are Bad When They Ache and Lima People Know It.

A bad back is always bad.
Bad at night when bedtime comes.
Just as bad in the morning
Ever try Doan's Kidney Pills for it?
Know they cure backache.
Cure every kidney ill?
If you don't some Lima people do.
Read a case of it.

R Edwards, of 416 east North street a machinist employed at the D. & M. railroad shops, says: "I was troubled for a long time with my back and kidneys, and it was only after using Doan's Kidney Pills sold at W. M. Melville's drug store that I got a remedy that was effectual in relieving me I suffered much from constant aching pains through my loins and if I stooped, sharp twinges of pain caught me. The kidney secretions were irregular, unnatural and distressing. It was from the fact that I know others here in town who found Doan's Kidney Pills reliable and effective that I concluded to try them. I am now glad that I did for they relieved me promptly and effectually."

For sale by all dealers; price 50c. per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. sole agents for the United States

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

No one would ever be bothered with constipation if everyone knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach and bowels.

A Frightened Horse,

Running like mad down the street, dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, cuts, sores, eczema and piles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c, at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

A $2.00 SALAD DISH FOR 75C SATURDAY, JUNE 18, AT 99 CENT STORE. 09-6t

1-4 OFF ON FINE CHINA DINNER SETS AT 99C STORE. 09-6t

A Big List of Saturday Bargains.

The big room size Rug Sale is still in progress

Carter & Carroll,

When in need of Window Shades telephone our shade man.

Successors to Carroll & Cooney.

We have put forward for this Saturday's selling a big line of dependable merchandise at wonderfully low prices. Every person in Lima should take advantage of our Saturday sales. The goods are the best and the prices are the lowest. Hundreds of special values that limited space will not permit us to mention.

Saturday Sale of Straw Matting.

15c and 19c Chinese straw mattings 10c
25c and 35c Chinese straw matting 19c
35c and 40 quality Chinese matting 25c
45c and 50c best Chinese matting 35c

Special Sale of Crex Carpet.

Crex carpet is a beautiful summer floor covering made from American prairie grass. It wears well and is very popular in the east We have 500 yards for sale; the regular price is 40c, our Saturday sale price a yard 29c

$5.00 Ladies' Walking Skirts Special Sale $5.00.

Saturday we place on sale 50 new Walking Skirts, $6.00 and $7.50 values, made of black cheviot and black venetian from the very smallest to the very largest sizes. Our special price for Saturday selling only $5.00

Carpet and Room Size Rug Sale for Saturday.

$27.50 nine by twelve Smyrna rug, only $19.50
$25 00 nine by twelve Axminster rug, only $21.75
$27 50 nine by twelve extra velvet rug, only $21.75
$35 00 nine by twelve Selkirk Wilton rug, only $29.50
$45.00 nine by twelve special Wilton rug, only $35.00

$1 00 quality velvet carpets, a yard 79c
$1 25 extra velvet carpets, a yard $1.00
$1 50 grade Axminster carpets, a yard $1.29
$2 00 Savoneries plush carpets, a yard $1.69
$1.00 Pro. Brussels carpets, a yard 75c

Ladies' Kid Gloves.

$1.00 and $1.25 quality of ladies' kid gloves, black and colored—Saturday's price, only 75c

Ladies' Silk Gloves.

Guaranteed finger tip, black or white silk gloves, price 50 and 75c

Ladies' Shopping Bags.

$1 00 ten inch black and colored leather shopping bag 75c
$1.25 twelve inch leather shopping bag, only 89c
One lot fancy finger purses, worth 50c and 75c. To close out, only 15c

Saturday Ribbon Sale.

Another big lot of four, and four and a half inches wide pure silk taffeta ribbons that will wash. All shades, including white and black The regular 25c and 35c quality, our Saturday special sale price 19c

Ladies' Hosiery Sale for Saturday Selling.

25c value ladies fast black drop stitch, with extra spliced heel 19c
35c quality ladies' rembrandt ribbed or drop stitch ingrain lisle fast black hose for Saturday 25c
50c grade of ladies' black silk plaited, tan lisle, and fancy hose, only 39c
75c quality ladies' all-over lace or lace boot hose, only 50c
$1.25 value ladies' all-over lace extra fine brilliant lisle, only 75c
Children's black pony hose in four different weights, all sizes, for Saturday, two pair for 45c

Special on Bath Room Necessities for Saturday.

5c good wash rags 4c
10c large Turkish towel 9c
25c heavy Turkish towel 21c
98c fine Turkish towel 79c
75c grade bath mats 59c
10c best bath mitts 7c
12½c large Turkish towel 11c
50c very large towel 39c
25c grade bath mats 19c
98c grade bath mats 79c
50c fine bath strap 39c
15c big Turkish towel 13c
75c extra Turkish towel 59c
50c grade bath mats 39c
20c table oil cloth 15c

Mother Hubbard Wrappers.

Ladies' old fashioned mother hubbard wrappers 4½ yards wide, made of fine fast colored lawn, only $1.50

A Successful Sale.

First lot all gone, another shipment just received—Silk dotted musselines, white, cream, pink, blue and black, a yard 25c

CASH WINS. **Carter & Carroll**

TO OUR ADVERTISING PATRONS.

A Request for Early Copy for Their Display Advertisements.

THE PHENOMENAL GROWTH IN THE CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT COMPELS US TO CLOSE OUR FORMS AT AN EARLIER HOUR EACH DAY IN ORDER TO SECURE PUNCTUAL DELIVERY OF THE PAPER AT THE SUPPER TABLES OF ALL OF OUR SUBSCRIBERS ON EACH OF OUR TWENTY-TWO CARRIERS ROUTES. SIX MONTHS AGO, TO ASSIST IN EARLIER DELIVERY, WE INSTALLED A VERY FAST PERFECTING PRESS. THIS ACCOMPLISHED ITS PURPOSE, BUT THE GROWTH OF THE CIRCULATION HAS SO FAR EXCEEDED OUR EXPECTATIONS THAT WE NOW FIND IT ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO GAIN MORE TIME BY PUTTING OUR FORMS TO THE PRESS EARLIER.

TO ASSIST IN THIS EFFORT, WE REQUEST OUR ADVERTISING PATRONS TO LET US HAVE THEIR COPY FOR DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS NOT LATER THAN TEN O'CLOCK FORENOON OF THE DAY ON WHICH THEY WISH IT INSERTED, IN ORDER TO SECURE ITS APPEARANCE UPON THAT DAY.

Thrown From a Wagon.

Mr. Geo. K. Babcock was thrown from his wagon and severely bruised He applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely and says it is the best liniment he ever used. Mr. Babcock is a well known citizen of North Plain, Conn. There is nothing equal to Pain Balm for sprains and bruises. It will effect a cure in one-third the time required by any other treatment. For sale by all druggists.

You Feel a Thrill of Satisfaction

When you put on a suit of our tailoring. The coat fits precisely as your figure requires. The front and shoulders are beyond criticism. The trousers have shape and hang gracefully.

To the quality of our workmanship we add the attractive features of fair prices.

At $12.50 we make two-piece suits such as most shops ask $20 and $22 for.

Highest award at Pan-American Exposition.

Your credit is good here.

J. M. SPICER,

New 'Phone 1124. 124 East Market St.

They Know Him.

A well known literary man who was spending several weeks at his old home in Vermont tells of a conversation on the porch of the village store. An acquaintance of theirs had just passed in the street, and the following comment was heard by the visitor.

"Thar goes Si Perkins" Then a meditative pause. "Si ain't the man he used to be."

"Naw—an' he never was."—Harper's Weekly

Fight Will Be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall, Miss., has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once, and four bottles entirely cured her Guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp, druggist. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free.

COLUMBUS AND RETURN $1.00.

From Wapakoneta, next Sunday via Ohio Central lines. may-24-eod-oct29

A CLEVER MINISTER.

"To the town of Nirridgewock, in Maine," said the Rev. Minot J Savage, "a strange minister once came to preach. He preached duly, and, after the sermon was over, he mingled with the congregation, expecting that some one would invite him to dinner.

"One by one, however, the congregation departed, offering the hungry minister no hospitality, and he began to feel anxious. Where was he to eat?"

"As the last deacon was leaving the church, the minister rushed up to him and shook him warmly by the hand.

"I want you to come home and dine with me," the minister said.

"Why, where do you live?" asked the deacon.

"About 30 miles from here"

"The deacon reddened, "Oh, you come and dine with me instead," he said.—New York Tribune.

The oxygenized strength of the healing pines, combined with other well known kidney and bladder remedies, is presented in Pineules. This new discovery gives immediate relief and permanently cures all kidney and bladder troubles. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp.

Do You Know That Morris Bros. Are the Leading One-Price Clothiers in Lima?

That they handle the best ready-to-wear garments in the world?

That there is more style and better fit to their clothes than any other?

That they guarantee everything sold at this large store?

That their prices are always lower---goods in consideration, than any other store in Lima?

That they are the exclusive handlers of HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX Clothing---the best in the world---in Lima.

That satisfaction is sure to be yours if you buy your Clothing and Furnishings at their store?

IT IS A FACT.

MORRIS BROS.

217 North Main Street. LIMA, O.

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THE STATE TICKET.

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of Cincinnati.

For Clerk of Supreme Court,
PERRY M. MEHAFFEY,
of Cambridge.

For Dairy and Food Commissioner,
QUENTEN H. GRAVETT,
of Wooster.

For Member of Board of Public Works
WM. H. FERGUSON,
of Springfield.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

For Member of Congress,
HARVEY C. GARBER,
of Greenville.

JUDICIAL TICKET.

For Circuit Judge,
Third Judicial District,
W. H. KINDER,
of Findlay.

For Common Pleas Judge,
First Sub-Division,
HUGH T. MATHERS,
of Sidney.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Commissioner,
ALBERT HEFNER.

For Infirmary Director,
W. E. GRUBB.

WEATHER.

Washington, June 17.—For Ohio: Fair tonight, warmer in central and northern portion; Saturday fair, warmer.

From Illinois comes a sad tale of unrequitted love and attendant consequences. Because her sweetheart jilted her, the dolorous maid tucked the kitchen clock under her arm and wended her way to the deep, damp river. She watched the hands go 'round, and at the moment her faithless lover was being united to another, the despairing one hugged the timepiece tighter and went under with a gurgle. It was twelve to one she would have wound up her career right there had not a man who heard the sound of the alarm clock, struck out from the shore and rescued her. Although the clock was lost, the girl will have plenty of time to repent her immersion.

NOTHING ELSE EXPECTED.

Says the Philadelphia Record:

"A demonstration of the workings of protectionism may be given on the Isthmus of Panama. The canal commissioners, of course, desire that the canal be built at the least possible cost consistent with good work; and to this end they wish that material, machinery, supplies and food for the laborers may be admitted to the canal zone duty free. The secretary of the treasury, as a consistent protectionist, insists that American manufacturers of steam shovels, cement, pickaxes, flour, dredges and dinner pails shall be fenced off from foreign competiton by the extension to the Isthmus of the provisions of the Dingley tariff. The government would in that case have to pay to the surveyors thus favored the difference between the cost of these articles in the open and in a protected market; and it would be made to appear very clearly that the consumer (in this instance the government) pays the tariff taxes."

But what else could have been expected of the present administration? Having already paid out $50,000,000 to the Frenchmen and the Panamans, was it not a matter of course that our tariff barons, who own the republican party, should have a share of the swag?

Your Liver
Will be roused to its natural duties and your biliousness, headache and constipation be cured if you take
Hood's Pills
Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

HE'LL HAVE TO EAT IT.

A particularly sweet morsel for President Roosevelt to masticate is the selection of John L. Sullivan, late postmaster at St. Marys, as a member of the republican state executive committee.—Columbus Press-Post.

PARKER'S POSITION.

While it is well known to the more intimate friends of Chief Judge Alton B. Parker that he voted for Bryan for president in 1896 and 1900, the question as to his position on these occasions has been again raised by Representative Huffman, one of the delegates to the Ohio democratic state convention. In an interview in the World, Representative Huffman said:

"I will be for Parker if nominated, but the nomination should go to a man who was regular in 1896 and 1900."

The observation of the Ohio Representative indicates that some of the democratic leaders, especially in other states, have forgotten Judge Parker's own statement on the subject. When he was nominated for chief judge of the court of appeals in 1897, Judge Parker was asked to define in a formal manner the position he took in the Bryan campaign of 1896. This he did in the following letter:

'New York, Sept. 20, 1897.

Hon. Elliot Danforth, Chairman State Democratic Committee:

My Dear Danforth:—It was entirely right for you to bring to my attention the question which the sincere friends of Mr. Bryan are pressing upon you.

"I can say to you frankly and sincerely that you can assure them that I voted for the last national nominees of the democratic party, as I have voted for all the regular democratic nominees since I had a vote.

Yours very sincerely,
ALTON B. PARKER."

It is well known to Judge Parker's friends that he also voted for Bryan in 1900.—New York World.

LAWYERS

Will Be Taken Down the Pike Tomorrow

In a Game of Ball With Court House Team—Proceeds Go to the Library.

Tomorrow afternoon at the Grand avenue grounds the court house base ball team and the lawyers will don the mask and gloves, and give an exhibition of the national game as it shouldn't be played. Aside from the sport they intend to have out of it, the word is sent out that an admission of 15 cents will be charged and the proceeds will go to the fund being created for the public library.

The double system of umpires will be adopted and Judges Cunningham and Miller will call the balls and strikes from behind the fence.

STORIES

Afloat Concerning Infirmary Reservoir Site.

Report That Sand and Gravel Underlie the Soil Denied by Officials of the City.

It has been rumored about the city during the past day or two that the county infirmary site for the proposed water works storage reservoir could not be used for the reason that sand and gravel underlie the surface of the land at that point. This story is denied, however, at the offices of the board of public service and water works department. It is claimed that an investigation made by the city engineer and by Dick Stone, of the water works department, proved that yellow and blue clay was found at nearly every place where excavations were made on the proposed site.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Charles Allman and Miss Magdalene Beck, of Huntington, Ind., are guests of Mrs. W. S. Morrison, of west Spring street.

Thos. Della, traveling salesman for M. Cohn, this city, leaves this evening for an outing of several weeks in the Adirondac mountains.

Mrs. B. S. Porter, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. E. Porter, and their son and grandson, Master Wm. Storer Porter, have gone to Cleveland for an indefinite visit with relatives.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

How About These Waists.

DRY BLUEM GOODS

If you'll read this list carefully and conscientiously you are bound to find what you want, for what woman does not need a silk or cotton waist?

You are always welcome to visit and to meet your friends at the Bluem store.

White lawn and a sheer quality back, has four ½in. tucks, front has six ½in. tucks; spoke yoke and Bertha made of fine Valenciennes lace; Bertha has three ⅛in. tucks and one row of lace edge; tucked front piece and cuffs, fancy hemstitched and embroidered edge tab collar.

As illustrated. Price $1.25.

Made from fine white lawn, back has four ½in. tucks, front has five rows of lace insertion and twelve ½in. tucks; Bertha has one row lace insertion in front, and back edged with three ⅛in. cluster tucks; tucked cuffs, fly front, tab collar.

As illustrated. Price $1.50.

A good quality of white lawn waist, has tan rows of fine tucks and insertion to finish; back has four wide plaits, sleeves a full pouch with tucks on cuff.

Price $1.00.

A fine quality of white lawn waist, has lace yoke, front has five rows lace insertion, back has four rows of tucks, pouch sleeves with fine tucks and lace to finish cuff.

Price $1.25.

White lawn waist with yoke of Mexican drawn work, back has four rows of cluster tucks of five each, full pouch sleeves and fine tucks to finish cuff.

Price $1.50.

Many styles of white lawn waists at $1.75, $2.00, $2.50 etc.
Black lawn waists at 50c, 59c, 75c and $1.00.

Silk wash waists in black and white; a thoroughly good quality made in a style that insures a perfect wash waist; has six wide tucks on front, back is plain, full sleeve with cuff, tab collar and pearl buttons to trim.

Price $2.98.

Other styles of Jap silk at $3.75.

A black peau de soi waist lined with fine cambric, has yoke effect with fine tucks and faggotting, back has rows of cluster tucks, full pouch sleeve and cuff, tab collar, with faggotting.

Price $4.50.

An unlined fine quality black taffeta silk waist has front of six plaits with all seams lapped and double stitched, back plain, collar and cuff of Cluney lace.

Price $5.00.

Same style waist in black peau de soi Price $5.00.

A line of Silk Pongee Waists at $5.00, $6.00, $8.50.
Crepe Silk Waists, in Black and White, at $6.00, $8.00, $11.50.
Novelties in Net Waists, choice selections, $10.00 to $16.50.

Dress Goods Remnants at 1-2 and 1-3 Less Than Regular Price.

DRY GOODS, SUIT HOUSE.

G. E. BLUEM,

221-223 North Main St.

FALL

In L. E. & W. Dividends Caused

A Ten Point

Tumble In Its Preferred Stock.

Semi-Annual Profit for Stockholders Cut In Two In Middle.

Official Statements Attribute Decline In Earnings to Severity of Winter. General Grain and Stock Market.

New York, June 17.—The Lake Erie and Western railroad company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 1 per cent. in its preferred stock, a reduction of 1 per cent from its previous payment. An official explanation to the preferred stockholders says:

"The accounts of the railroad for the six months ending June 30 show net earnings of $119,533, as against $238,431 the previous year. The decline is largely accounted for by the fact that during the months of January, February and March of this year the severity of the winter and the congestion of traffic made serious inroads upon the earnings of the company."

Speculation became steadier in tone when Union Pacific advanced a point. General gains were slight and were cancelled by 11 o'clock. Profitaking in Union Pacific wiped out about all its rise and Metropolitan Street Railway dropped 1⅞. Kansas City Southern preferred advanced 1½.

New York, June 17.—Southern Pacific was the feature of the opening dealings in the stock market today, Louisville rose ⅝ on the sale of 1,200 shares and U. P., ⅜ on the sale of a thousand shares. In the general list small gains predominated over the losses.

Lake Erie and Western preferred dropped ten points on one transaction reflecting yesterday's dividend reduction. The common also yielded 1½. But little change occurred in the general market though prices were slightly above the lowest at 1 o'clock.

Live Stock.

Chicago, June 17.—Cattle, receipts 2,000; amrket weak; good to prime steers 5.50@6.50; poor to medium 4.50@5.50; stockers and feeders 3.00@4.75; cows 2.00@4.60; heifers 2.50@4.50; canners 1.75@2.75; bulls 2.50@4.50; calves 2.50@5.25; Texas fed steers 5.00@6.00.

Hogs, receipts today 18,000; tomorrow 9,000; market strong to 5 cents higher; mixed butchers 4.95@5.15; good to choice heavy 5.05@5.20; rough heavy 4.85@5.05; light 4.85@5.10; bulk of sales 5.00@5.10.

Sheep, receipts 4,000; market steady to strong; good to choice weathers 4.75@5.25; native lambs 5.00@6.50; spring lambs 5@7.65.

Toledo Grain.

Toledo, June 17.—Wheat, cash 102 bid; June 99½ bid; July 88⅛; Sept. 85¼.

Corn, cash 50; July 50⅛; Sept. 50¼.

Oats, cash 43; July 40¾; Sept. 31½.

Clover seed, cash 6.10; Oct. 5.72½.

New York City Leads the Fashion World

For all that is good in the fine ready to wear clothing; THERE is where the swell styles ORIGINATE. (other makers in the west always copy New York styles after they're introduced there and a season or two old.)

Lichtenstader Bros. Have Exclusive Sale for "C. Bros." New York Ready to Wear Clothes.

Come in and try them on, and you'll find them to be original in style, being better fitting and better made than any other make ever shown in our city. Why this is the leading store of Lima is we're handling the largest business caused by giving the biggest values. Money refunded if goods are one iota different than represented.

Lichtenstader Bros.,

Northwest Corner Square.

CLOTHING *and* SHOES.

Visit our Shoe Department. Shoes for all humanity. This is the Footwear House of Lima.

MONUMENTS.

The Westerly Granite Company, of 305-307 E. Market St., Lima, O.

Have on hand the largest stock of finished granite monuments that has ever been seen in Lima. These monuments must me disposed of at once. Come early and make your selection. You will find in our yards, anything to suit in the way of a monument. When you buy of us, you have no agents' fees to pay. We have also a fine line of artistic marble monuments and granite markers of all sizes and styles. No hand lettering; all of our lettering is done by machinery. Do not fail to see us when you are ready to buy. You will find any kind of monument you want in stock, all ready to place in cemetery on your lot.

129 YEARS AGO TODAY.

Boston, June 17.—The one hundred and twenty-ninth anniversary of the battle of Bunkerhill was celebrated today in this city, and in many new England cities. Business was suspended here.

Lima Council 436, Knights of Columbus, will celebrate their fifth anniversary of the council, on June 23, (next Thursday) with a basket picnic at McBeth's Park. Supper will be served promptly at 5:30. The resident members of the council are requested to provide enough in their basket for their own families and also for two guests in addition, as the nonresident members will be cared for in this way.

Menu: pickles, olives, veal loaf, sliced cold ham, bread and butter squares, cake, oranges, bananas. The coffee and ice cream will be furnished by the council.

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John W. Culp, of Elkhart, Ind., is in the city a few days, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hardesty, of 341 McPheron avenue. He is an advertising agent for the Chemical Hard and Soft Coal Co., of Elkhart, Ind., who are preparing to manufacture a new fuel composed entirely of clay and chemicals, which, it is claimed, will burn steadier and longer than anthracite coal, without giving off any soot, smoke or gas

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Hon. "Hunker Bill" Russell, and his political attorney, Hon. James W. Halfhill, are attending the meeting of the republican national committee, and using every possible argument to secured for Mr. Russell a seat as a delegate in the national convention.

WANTS, FOR RENT, FOR SALE, ETC., LOST.

WANTED—Blacksmith and carriage repair man to take lower floor of an old established repair shop. A good opening. Call on M. M. Hosmer, 111 east Spring street. 2-31*

Wanted—At Lima House—Vegetable cook and silver girl at once. 09-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Store room O'Connor block, north Main. Enquire O'Connor Bros. Insurance office. 11-3t*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with bath, 121 south Elizabeth street. 211-3t

FOR RENT—Three rooms in front and two rooms in rear on third floor of the Funk block. Inquire of Geo. P. Connor, 530 west Wayne street, or call old phone, 64 Union. 02-tf

FOR RENT—3 rooms in front and two rooms in rear on the third floor of the Funk block, opposite court house. Inquire of Geo. P. Conner, 530 west Wayne street, or old phone 64, Union. 02-tf

FOR RENT—Ready furnished room with bath. Apply 124 north Pierce street. 197-tf

FOR RENT—Some large front rooms in the Holmes building. Steam heat, electricity and gas, and also elevator. Best location in the city. Reasonable rent. Inquire of F. W. Holmes, 29 Holmes block. e-od-tf-52

FOR RENT—Furnished room in private house. First class, moderate rates. References. Inquire 214 north Pierce street. 30-tf

FOR RENT—Pleasant, newly furnished room, with all conveniences. 326 west High street. 1-31*

FOR RENT—Five single rooms in the Deisel block 135 and 137 north Main street, suitable for offices or sleeping apartments, modern and up to date, rent reasonable. For information call on Henry Deisel at cigar factory, or either 'phone No. 119; residence 'phone 465. 65-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Moyer (Syracuse, N. Y.) piano box buggy, good as new, $45. Call at 221 south Pine St. 2-31*

FOR SALE—Seven year old bay mare, weight about 800 pounds, perfectly gentle, any lady can drive her. Will sell with or without buggy. Call at 273 south Pierce street after 6 p. m. 12-31*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—All or any part of the lot on southwest corner of Collett and Elm streets. J. F. Schelling. New 'phone 1295. 1-31*

FOR SALE—Lots corner Main and O'Connor avenue, at $250 each Easy terms. Address J. A. Cost, 361 Rookery building, Chicago, Ills. 210-6t*

FOR SALE—Two arc gas lamps. A bargain. Can be bought cheap. J. M. McVey, 330 north Main. 10-3t

FOR SALE—Office counter and desk. Very cheap. Call at 321 north Main street. 8-6t*

FOR SALE—Ideal homes; I have eight new houses and two new cottages for sale, on easy terms. R. J. Dewey, care Lima Savings Bank & Trust Co., south Main street, corner Vine. 2-31*

FOR SALE—Confectionary store at 125 east Wayne street; new linoleum on floor, chairs and tables, new awning, soda fountain, ice cream parlor all complete; a bargain if sold soon. Rent cheap. 158-tf

C. W. COON has purchased Stevick's sand pit, and all persons wanting sand can order from J. B. Coon & Son, corner Market and Washington avenue. New phone 1246R. Old phone 517 L. 13-6*

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ıys Mr. Cable

ıo Denies In Toto the Reported Sale.

a-Ft. Wayne Traction ıne Will Be Built as Originally Intended

Put In Operation Within the ar—Delays Were Caused by Late Spring and Damage by the Floods.

article which has been going the ls pretty extensively and credited e Delphos Herald, was created a supposed rumor that the Lima, Wayne Traction Co which has large sums of money in the c nion of a line between the two named, had sold out to the Penn nia company which it parallels erested as one of the most active oters and a stockholder, is D J. , of Lima, at which office the di rs of the Traction Co. have fre ly held their meetings. Realiz the importance of a matter in so many cities are directly in ted, a representative of the called on him this morning and him acquainted with the publish atement of the rumored transfer. Cable positively denied that any tiations had been had looking o absorption of the traction lines' erty by the Pennsylvania or any road, and that the statement of sible transfer was a fabrication, ıfactured out of whole cloth

'e have been delayed in complet he line," said Mr. Cable, on ac r of a late spring and the heavy s did considerable damage. Every e is built, however, and the work proceed as soon as possible We state positively, now, that the will be completed over its en ength and in operation before the lo out."

Cable added that the kind of paper talk referred to him was of maging nature, and considering that there was no foundation even for such a rumor, the voice of the press should not take a tone of so much positiveness.

Erie Will Run Specials.

The Erie will make every provision for bringing visitors to Lima from the east and west on the 4th of July A special will leave Marion at 11 o'clock and make all stops between there and Lima A special will also leave Lima for the west at 10 o'clock in the evening, making all stops as far as Ohio City and another for the east, making all stops as far as Marion. The regular trains Nos. 21 and 22 will also make all local stops for passengers who wish to come early, the trains arriving at 8.42 and 8 21 a. m.

To Be Let Out.

To reduce expenses the C. H & D will on the 1st of next month, let out a number of clerks employed under Local Freight Agent Barnard. Joseph Kohnen, chief bill clerk in the local office, who has been with the company over 20 years, and P. Darby, who is also an old employe, will retire It is understood that three or four other men under Mr. Barnard will be let out. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

Another Possibility.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat gathers from persistent rumors in relation to the C. H. & D. transfer that after the consolidation with the Pere Marquette, through trains will be established to St Louis

The arrangement is not intended for the summer or world's fair season only, but will be made permanent. The Pere Marquette would have its choice of inlets to St. Louis. The Clover Leaf or Toledo, St. Louis and Western furnishes the most direct line to St. Louis from Toledo. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton now operates through trains from Cincinnati to St Louis, via Decatur and the Wabash. At Springfield, it connects with the Chicago, Peoria and St Louis, or Bluff line, and could use that line for its St Louis inlet A definite announcement is looked for in this regard when the negotiations in New York are completed

In Operation Again.

Yesterday, the rebuilt and enlarged interlocking plant at the crossing of the Pennsylvania and Detroit Southern was put into service after being shut down for a week. A new "Y" and other additions were made to the plant.

Slow But Sure.

The progress of the work of constructing the Lima Van Wert traction line is not as rapid as the friends of the enterprise would like to see, yet there is a general feeling that the disturbed condition of money matters in the east has retarded operations on this line for the time being In fact it has affected all railroad interests, resulting in a general curtailment of the expenses of the richest and most prosperous railways in the country. The traction company has done a large amount of work on its line and it is all well done and of the best material County Commissioner L H Wise is now delivering to the traction company, along its line in the east part of this town, some 3,000 ties, and these it is said are to be used in laying the line along Main street The work on the street will be begun in some ten days or two weeks With the grading all done, the bridges all in and the hard tasks all completed in the towns along the line, it will not take long, when the time comes, to complete the road and put it in service —Van Wert Republican.

FELDMANN & CO.

Hosiery in All Its Details.

Our extensive department while filled with very staple demand embraces also a choice collection of the many novelties in men's, women's and hildren's wear. The scarce and hard to get goods ou will always find here if they're to be found t all.

Misses' Tan Hosiery, all sizes, 25c.
Misses' pretty Lace Hose, white and black, 25c
Misses' fine Lace Hose, white, pink, blue and black, 50c.
Children's Lace Socks, up to size 7½, white, pink and blue, 35c.
Misses' fine guage black Ribbed Hose, extra quality, 25c.
Boys' most durable Stockings, the very best 15c and 25c.
Infants' Lace Socks, all colors, 15c and 25c.
Infants' Lace Hose, white, black, pink and blue, 15c
Infants' fine Lisle Hose, white, black, pink and blue, 25c.
Ladies' Lace Hose, white, pink, blue and black, choice styles, 5c.
Ladies' imported black Lace Hose, 50c values at 35c and 39c.
Ladies' Tan Hosiery at 25c. Fine Lisles at 39c and 50c.
Ladies' plain and embroidered Royal and Navy Hosiery, the atest to wear with tan shoes, 50c.
Ladies' fine gauze Hosiery, 25c, 35c, 39c and 50c.
Ladies' embroidered Hosiery, 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c and up to $1.50
Ladies' extra size Hosiery, a full variety at 25c to 50c.
Men's socks in all the up to-date styles, novelties and solid olors.

Feldmann & Co
209-211 N. MAIN ST.

Fine White Underskirts at $2.39.

Just for a Flyer.

They just came; five distinct styles beautifully trimmed in quantities of lace or embroidery. $3.50 and $3.98 Skirts for this special sale $2.39.

People's Providers. Progressive Outfitters.

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Manufacturing Distributors. From Maker to You.

PUBLIC SQUARE, LIMA, OHIO.

Most Brilliant Display

Of Magnificent Styles and Eclipsing Values, Unparalleled Offering of High Class Summer Suits, at

$5, $7.50, $10, $12.

These Suits are all made in our own modern factory, possessing every feature of high class workmanship; cut in the very latest approved fashions; made of select patterns of foreign and domestic woolens. They are garments of distinction, elegance, and artistic construction. Every garment guaranteed absolutely.

Attractive Display of Domegals, Bally-Bo and Heidelberg Outing Suits.

In wool Crashes, Homespuns and Tropical Worsteds. The suits are splendidly cut and though light are tailored to keep their shape, with good broad shoulders, some with big top pants, at - - - - - - **$12 and $10**

Outing Suit Coat and Pants, with belts of same material, in single and double breasted styles, stripes and plaid effects, elegantly made, and will retain shape and symmetry, at - - - - - - **$7.50 and $5**

Boys' Clothes at Lowest Prices Ever Known.

Splendid all-wool Cheviots, Homespuns and Cassimeres; Double Breasted, Norfolk and Sailor style, at - - - - - - - - - **$1.50 and $2**

Supreme quality Worsteds, new fancy Cheviots and Tweeds; Norfolk, Double Breasted and Buster styles at - - - - - - - - **$3 and $3.50**

Splendid Wash Suits, all newest patterns, at **50c, 75c and $1.00.**

STRAW HATS.

In Sailor and Soft Braids at 50 cents. Fine Sailors and Panama shapes, in fine Milan Braids, $1.00.
Superior grade Sailors and Soft Straws in Java and Pineapple Braids, $1.50 and $2.
Boys' Straw Hats 25c and 50c. Boys' Caps 15c, 25c and 50c.

Splendid Summer Underwear. Balbriggan, well made and taped, **25c and 50c.**

Negligee Shirts. Woven Madras, plaited or plain fronts, novelty colorings, at **50 cents.**

Fancy Half Hose. New colorings in striped and figured, full seamless, at **10 cents.**

Specials for Saturday Only.

SUSPENDERS. Men's genuine President Suspenders, extra imported French Lisle Web, all new patterns, at **33 Cents.**

NECKWEAR. Men's and Boys' fine Silk Shield Bow Ties, latest styles and designs, at **8 Cents.**

THE IDLER.

DeWitt C Richmond, Jr, who has been with the Ferguson Construction Co for the past three years during the construction of the big railroad tunnel under the city of Pittsburg, arrived here yesterday, for a visit with his parents, Mr and Mrs D C Richmond, of west Wayne street

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The friends of Miss Mabel W Ballard, '04 of Lima, will be delighted to learn of the honor which has recently been given her. Miss Ballard carries the highest average for the four years high school course, which entitles her to a two years scholarship to Olivet College, Michigan.—Bluffton Leader

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The last reduction in the price of crude oil, as announced by the Standard Oil company's local purchasing agency before that of today, occurred June 7th One would, however, scarce notice it from the quotations running daily in the esteemed morning contemporary, which is still posting $1.08 for South Lima oil, when the market price is $1 03

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Hon Geo W. Quail, Chas H Chappell and M M Langan are in Chicago, to assist the national committee in deciding 'Who is who,' in the Fourth Ohio congressional district and incidentally to suppress gambling on the derby tomorrow.

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There is but one counter attraction offered to Lima's great Fourth of July celebration to draw a crowd. Celina offers a prize of $10 00, and will purchase the necessary license and gladly furnish pastor to the first couple who will consent to be wedded that day on the steps of the same court house in which Quail held his rump convention

PHENOMENAL PERFORMANCES.

The aerial and acrobatic feats with the Barnum & Bailey Show are of a superior order of merit. Besides being of extreme daring and novelty, they are all executed by champions While the general character of these almost phenomenal performances is the same as hitherto exhibited there are introduced a number of unique and extraordinary displays, entitling the intrepid performers to be considered the unquestioned kings of all aerial artists There are a dozen champion male and female equestrians also, so that the visitors to the show are assurred of seeing the best possible entertainment. The show will be here Monday, June 27th.

WANTED HIS MONEY.

Columbus, June 17—Eugene Rabedue, 17, formerly an inmate of the Lancaster Boys Industrial Home, held a constable and half a dozen deputies at bay for several hours on the farm of Thomas C Jeffries, before captured The youth had threatened to shoot Jeffries because the farmer refused to give him $17 which the boy claimed was due him for work

C. H. & D. EXCURSIONS.

Cincinnati and return Sunday, June 19th, $1 50 Trains leave Lima at 2 10 and 7 10 a. m. Cincinnati vs. Chicago.

A Sure Sign.

"Bilkins must have done something notable one way or the other, but I haven't yet heard about it."

"How do you know he's done it then?"

"I met about seven of his acquaintances this morning, and each one referred to his casualty as 'My friend Bilkins'—New Orleans Times-Democrat

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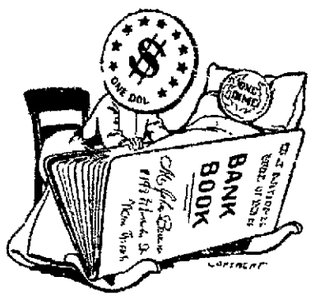

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EXPRESS ROBBERY.

Daring Hold-Up Perpetrated by Masked Men In Montana.

Express Car Was Dynamited,

The Engineer of the Train Being Forced to Cause the Explosion---Robbers Are Believed to Have Secured a Large Sum of Money.

Bearmouth, Mont June 17—Two masked men have held up the north coast limited Northern Pacific passenger train a mile and a half east of this station Bringing the train to a stop they dynamited the express car, blew the safe and secured all of its contents The amount is not known but is believed to be large

The hold-up was similar to the one which occurred two years ago at nearly the same spot and in which Engineer Neal lost his life The outlaws boarded the train at the water tank at Bearmouth and after having waited until the train had gone a mile and a half they crawled up over the coal and covered Engineer Wade and Fireman Reed with pistol and told them to throw up their hands Engineer Wade was then commanded to bring the train to a standstill and he complied. The engineer and firemen were ordered from the engine and with the hold-ups went back to the express car. Before making an additional effort to gain an entrance they forced the engineer to light a cigar. The express messenger was commanded to open the door but refused. The engineer was next commanded to light a stick of dynamite of which the robbers had a large quantity, and he placed the lighted stick against the car door The force of the explosion wrecked the door and the engineer and firemen were compelled to precede the robbers into the car. The hold-ups directed their attention to the treasure box. Five sticks of dynamite were placed on top of the safe and ignited by the force, of the charge was insufficient and another and larger cap was used The second charge exploded with terrific force, blowing out the side of the car and throwing the safe a distance of 40 feet After rifling the safe of its valuables the robbers commanded the train crew to remain quiet and no harm would be done to them. While this conversation was going on, one of the robbers accidentally struck the engineer with his revolver and in apologizing, called him by name, indicating a possibility that the robber may be a railroad man

The party then left the express car and the men were ordered back to the engine under cover of guns The robbers then passed to the rear of the train and after putting out the train lights disappeared in the darkness Meanwhile the passengers were terrorstricken and had crawled under every place that offered a hiding

The rear brakeman, the moment he understood what had happened, slipped off the rear of the train and ran back to Bearmouth, where communication was had with the superintendent and the sheriff's office at Missoula

A posse was immediately summoned and an engine, a car of horses and Supt. Thamner's private car was soon on its way to the scene

The posse was headed by Sheriff Thompson The bloodhounds at Deer Lodge prison have been wired for.

It is believed there are four of the hold-ups Four men have been in Bearmouth for the past two or three days and it is said have been laying in a large stock of groceries and especially canned goods. The theory is that they have a rendezvous not far from the scene of the hold-up A light engine from Drummond bearing eight deputies was immediately started and it is thought the men cannot escape Two detectives are on their way from Missoula up the Hell Gate canon to head off the escape in that direction

It is learned that the railroad people were expecting the hold-up for the past two days but looked for it on the Philipsburg branch Two boys, Ralph Daly and Albert Horton, were stealing a ride on the blind baggage and both say they can identify the men. Supt Thalmer is co-operating with Sheriff Thompson in planning the pursuit and early started out on their hunt for the two desperadoes.

Daly, one of the blind baggage passengers got down as soon as possible when they saw the safe was robbed and looked for loose money. All he could find was a stack of worthless money orders, which he turned over to Supt Thalmer The train was in charge of Conductor Grant. The wrecked express car was brought to Bearmouth

Capture Possible.

Butte, Mont, June 17—A number of shots have been heard in the direction of Bearmouth, and a belief that a battle has been fought and the robbers who held up the Northern Coast Limited, have been caught The through safe of the train is intact though the express car is a complete wreck

The engine and box cars with dogs from Deer Lodge prison has taken the posse aboard at Garrison and officers will be on both sides of the robbers.

BOSTON WINS.

Boston, June 17—National League morning game The Boston men won the forenoon game by taking advantage of their opponent's misplays. Gleason was put off the grounds in the eighth inning for disputing a decision by Umpire Johnson.

Attendance 2,000 Score:

Boston . 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 *-4. 3, 2

Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0-2; 9; 4

Batteries—Wilhelm and Moran; Frazer and Roth.

LOCAL

Physicians Were Invited

To Be Present

At the Electrocution of Michael Schiller

Who Paid the Penalty for the Murder of His Wife at Youngstown.

Drs. Bates and Bennet Witnessed the Execution Which Required Three Contacts Before Life Was Extinct.

Dr F. L Bates and Dr. H. C Bennett of Lima were present in the annex of the penitentiary this morning, when Michael Schiller, a Youngstown saloonkeeper was electrocuted for the murder of his wife.

The accounts of the execution of Schiller are decidedly shocking, and Dr Bates verifies the report that it required three distinct contacts before the life was scorched out of the victim In a talk with the doctor, who returned home today, he said that all the usual precautions were taken, but it proved in Schiller's case that electrocution does not always result the same way "There is no accounting for it, but for some reason there was not the immediate death which usually follows the pouring of 1750 volts of electricity into the system Indeed there was more than that, and the body stiffened against the straps and remained so. An examination discovered no possible sign of heart action Schiller was pronounced dead, but as the small number present started to leave, the supposed dead man began breathing again A second voltage of 1750 strength was again applied and left on longer than before. Again he was pronounced to have paid the penalty, and the straps were removed.

"The spectacle had been a severe one for all, but it was made even more shocking when Warden Hershey was summoned for the third time, just as he was leading the silent group from the death chamber, and informed that the murderer was again showing signs of life. For the third time the limp body was adjusted to the straps and a current of 1800 volts sent sizzling through his body.

"The current was immediately turned off when its full effect had been felt in order to prevent scorching or burning the body, which would immediately follow after the moisture was absorbed In Schiller's case, however, this precaution could not be taken, and the flesh, when contact was made, was literally roasted

"I am not an advocate of capital punishment, said the doctor, "but if it has to be done, I still believe that the present method is the most human. In nearly every instance it is a complete success, the present one being the only pronounced failure Although death was not instantaneous, and the victim breathed after the two contacts he was as much unconscious as though under the influence of an anesthetic The ordeal was a severe one on those present however, and every one present carried a palid face into the light of a more easily breathed atmosphere"

If your health's going wrong,
Your breath very strong,
Headaches so you can't see,
Go take some Rocky Mountain Tea.
H. F. Vortkamp.

BOLISHAYA GLOBA ON THE POST ROAD AROUND LAKE BAIKAL.

The ... ails ... As it ... the ... Baikal and a military post road 50 ... old ... Roman road of the old empire ... the southern end of the lake ... to the Trans ... where the railway proper begins once more In winter this trip of 200 miles must be taken in ... and all along the post road the Czar's government has scattered impromptu villages Of these Bolishaya Globa is the most important, and rejoices in a permanent population of over three hundred aside from the ... on ... captain and 2... men and the constantly coming and going of regiments bound for the war

A RESOLUTION Requiring water gas and ... connections to be made in certain streets Whereas the City council of the City of Lima State of Ohio, is about to cause to be improved West street in the city of Lima, Ohio from Wayne street to Ottawa river, and Elizabeth street in the City of Lima, Ohio, from North street to Market street, and Pine street in the City of Lima, Ohio, from the Ottawa river to St. John's avenue, and, whereas, it is essential in the making of said improvements that prior thereto all the sewer water and gas connections should be made before the beginning of said improvements, therefore be it resolved by the city council of the City of Lima, State of Ohio, as follows Section 1 That The Lima Natural Gas Company and The Lima Gas Light Company be, and they are hereby notified to at once make and put in and fully complete all their natural and artificial gas connections on and along the above mentioned streets, between the points within which said streets are to be improved, and that the Board of Public Service of the City of Lima, Ohio be, and it is hereby directed to cause to be put in all the necessary water connections along said streets, between the points within which same are to be improved, and that the owners of property along each of said streets, between which the improvements aforesaid are to be made, be and they are hereby notified and required to at once make and put in all sewer connections and other connections necessary so that the sub-grade may have become settled before the beginning of the making of said improvement and so that the streets need not be disturbed after such improvements are made. Section 2 That the Clerk of the council be, and he is hereby directed to give notice of the adoption of this resolution, by causing the same to be published in two newspapers of the City of Lima Ohio, once each week for three weeks Adopted May 31, 1904. Geo L. Newson, President of the Council. Attest: O. J Rose Clerk of the Council. Theo D Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio jun3-10-17

A RESOLUTION declaring it to be necessary to improve Pine street in the city of Lima, Ohio, from the Ottawa river to St. Johns avenue, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same. Be it Resolved, by the Council of the City of Lima, State of Ohio as follows:—Section 1. That it is hereby declared to be necessary to improve Pine street in the City of Lima, Ohio, from the Ottawa river to St Johns avenue, by grading, draining curbing and paving the same. Section 2 That in the making of said improvement there shall be used a first class quality of vitrified paving block, upon a six inch concrete foundation, and that there shall be constructed upon both sides thereof, between said points, a Berea sandstone curb and gutter, all in accordance with the plans, specifications, estimates and profiles heretofore prepared by the City Engineer and now on file in the office of the Department of Public Service, which said plans, specifications, estimates and profiles are hereby approved. Sec. 3. That the grade of said street between said points after the completion of said improvement shall be the grade shown by the plans, specifications, and profiles for said improvement heretofore prepared by the City Engineer and now on file in the office of the Department of Public Service Sec 4 That the whole cost of said improvement, including the interest upon the bonds to be issued, as hereinafter provided, less the amount legally chargeable to the Lima Electric Railway and Light company, under its franchise and the law, and less the cost of public street and public alley intersections and 2 per cent of the total cost, which shall be paid out of the General Revenues of the City, shall be assessed to the several lots and tracts of land fronting or abutting upon said Pine Street between the Ottawa river and St. Johns avenue, in proportion to the number of feet each of said lots or tracts of land fronts upon said street between said points; and the cost of said improvement shall also include the expense of the preliminary and other surveys, and of printing and publishing the notices resolutions and ordinances required, and the serving of said notices, the cost of construction and all other necessary expenditures Sec 5 That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in 10 annual installments, with interest on deferred payments at 5 per cent per annum, provided that the owner of any property assessed may, at his option, pay said assessment in cash within 30 days from and after the passing of the assessing ordinance in which case said cash assessments shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred installments of assessments Sec 6. That bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments, by installments, and in an amount equal thereto, which shall be issued before the contract for the making of said improvement shall be entered into. Sec. 7. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement, not specially assessed, including the cost of intersections, together with the cost of any real estate or interest thereon, purchased or appropriated, and the cost and expenses of any appropriation proceeding therefor, and the damages awarded to any owner of adjoining lots and interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of any such award, shall be paid out of the Special Street Improvement Fund of the City of Lima, Ohio Sec 8. That the clerk of said council be, and he is hereby directed to cause notice of the passage of this resolution to be given in the manner provided by law Geo L Newson, President of the council Adopted May 23, 1904 Approved May 24, 1904

Theo D Robb mayor of the city of Lima O Attest O J Rose city clerk
jun 10 17

NOTICE OF PAROLE.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Boggs, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio State Reformatory, is entitled under the law and rules governing paroles from said institution, to recommendation to the board of managers by the superintendent and chaplain as worthy of consideration for parole Said application will be for hearing on and after July 19th, 1904.

fri-sat-9-4-3wks.*

NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk of the Board of Education, for 935 tons of coal, Jackson, Domestic lump, Hocking Domestic lump, Pocahontas, or any good West Virginia coal, until 7 p. m., Monday, June 27 1904. To be delivered by the first day of August, 1904, and to be put in the bins by the contractor

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved

ANNIE DISMAN,
Clerk of Board of Education.
11-5t-eod

LEGAL NOTICE.

Lydia E. Elliott, residing at Omaha. Nebraska, will take notice that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1904, Matthew A. Elliott filed his petition in the court of common pleas, Allen county, Ohio, being case No. 11905, praying a divorce from the said Lydia E. Elliott on the ground of willful absence for more than three years last past, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after July 2nd, 1904.

MATTHEW A. ELLIOTT
Richie, Leland & Roby.
189-fri 6w Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

William T Agerter, Plaintiff
vs.
Paul Reiff, et al, Defendants.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, June 25, 1904,

between the hours of one o'clock and three o'clock p. m, the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number seventy-seven (77) in Lakewood sub-division of that part of the southwest quarter (¼) of section thirty-six (36) in township three (3) south, range six (6) east, lying between Park addition and the west line of said section, and that part of the southeast quarter (¼) of section thirty-five (35) township three (3) south, range six (6) east, Allen county, Ohio, lying between Woodlawn avenue and the east line of said section.

Appraised at $350.00
Terms of sale: Cash.

E. J BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio
Lima, Ohio, May 25th 1904
Prophet & Eastman, Plaintiff's Att'ys
194-th-fri 5w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Joseph Goebel, Plaintiff
vs
Anna Goebel, et al, Defendants
Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, July 2nd, A. D., 1904,

between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock a m, the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit.

Inlot number eight hundred and eighty-seven (887), and inlot number nine hundred and ten (910) in the city of Lima, being old numbers nineteen (19) and forty-four (44) in Haller and Baxter's addition to the town, now city of Lima, Ohio

House No 762 west North street, on lot No (887).

House No 765 west Wayne street on lot No. (910).

Lot No (887) appraised at $5,250.00
Lot No. (910) appraised at $2,200.00
Total appraisement, $7,450.00.
Terms of sale: Cash

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio. June 2nd, 1904
Motter, Mackenzie & Woadock,
200-th-fri 5w Plaintiff's Attys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

William T Agerter, Plaintiff
vs.
Harvey C. Bradley, Defendant
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, June 25, 1904,

between the hours of one o'clock and three o'clock p. m, the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number fifty-four (54) in Lakewood sub division of that part of the southwest quarter (¼) of section thirty-six (36) in township three (3) south, range six (6) east in Allen county, Ohio, lying between Park addition and the west line of said section, and that part of the southeast quarter (¼) of section thirty-five (35) township three (3) in township three (3) south, range six (6) east, in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, lying between Woodlawn avenue and the east line of said section.

Appraised at $265.00.
Terms of sale Cash

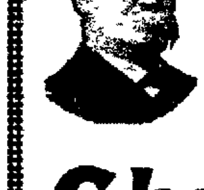
E J BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio
Lima, Ohio, May 25th, 1904.
Prophet & Eastman, Plaintiff's Att'ys
194-th-fri-5w

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Laura Paden, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed Dated this 26 day of May, A D. 1904 and qualified as executor of the estate of Laura Paden late of Allen county Ohio, deceased.

BENJ. W PADEN Executor
Leete & Brotherton, Attorneys
Dated this 31st day of May A D
95-3wks.



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Time Table Effective Dec. 27, 1903.

No. Trains West.

7 Pacific Express for Chicago, Daily .... 1:33 a.m.
21 Chicago accommodation. Daily except Sunday..8:43 a.m.
3 N.Y., Chicago Ltd. D'ly 11:35 a.m.
13 Wells Fargo Express.Dly. Except Monday ....4:29 p.m.

Trains East.

8 N. Y. and Columbus. Dly. 3:57 a.m.
22 Marion and Columbus, Daily except Sunday.. 8:21a.m.
4 N. Y. and Boston, Daily..4:26 p.m.
14 Wells Fargo Express. Dly. except Sunday ......9:32 p.m.

Trains 13 and 14 will not carry baggage.

Trains 3 and 4 carry through coach Chicago to Columbus.

C. H. & D. RAILROAD,

No. South Bound.

7 Daily, leaves............2:10 a.m.
11 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves..5:30 a.m.
1 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves..8:55 a.m.
5 Daily, leaves ....12:41 p.m.
3 Daily, leaves ....4:10 p.m.
9 Daily, leaves ....6:10 p.m.
13 Daily, except Sunday....9:35 p.m.

North Bound.

12 Daily, leaves ....2:35 a.m.
14 Daily, leaves ex. Sunday..5:30 a.m.
2 Daily, leaves ex. Sunday..8:05 a.m.
6 Daily, leaves ....11:57 a.m.
4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves..4:35 p.m.
8 Daily, leaves ....6:05 p.m.
10 Daily ex. Sunday, arr.only.9:00 p.m.
60 Sunday only, leaves......7:48 a.m.
68 Sunday only, arr.only....9:55 p.m.

P. F. W. & C.

In effect, May 15, 1904.

No. East.

24 Pittsburg Special ......12:51 a.m
6 Daily .... 7.25 a m
16 Daily .... 9:40 a m
30 Daily, Except Sunday... 2 15 p m
22 Daily .... 6:55 p m
8 Daily .... 9 30 p m
2 Daily Limited ....11:09 p m

West.

15 Daily .... 1.45 a m
5 Daily Limited .... 3:00 a m
19 Daily Except Sunday... 9:25 a m
23 Daily, no coaches ......10.23 a m
9 Daily .... 2:40 p m
35 Daily to St. Louis ...... 5.05 p m

J. W. REED, Agent.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect January 31, 1904:

No. Going South.

1 Daily ex. Sunday ....2:25 pm.
3 Daily ex. Sunday ....6:00 am
21 Sunday only ....2:25 pm.

Going North.

2 Daily ex. Sunday ......10:55 am.
4 Daily ex. Sunday, ar ....6:25 pm.
22 Sunday only, ar ....10:55 am.

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Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, O. and Bainbridge, Ohio.

L. E. & W. R. R.

No. West.

1 Daily, leaves .... 9:55 a.m.
5 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:23 p.m.
3 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 4:30 a.m.
7 Daily ex. Sunday, arrives 8:10 p.m.

East.

2 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:00 a.m.
4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 12:50 M
8 Daily, leaves............ 6:55 p.m.
12 Sunday only . ... 7:00 a m.

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th Jenatzy.

Emperor's Great Hope Second.

Were the Usual Ex-ng and Narrow Es-apes From Death.

nan Covered the Three Hun-and Fifty Miles in Five urs and Fifty Minutes. Course Was Rough.

irg, June 17.—The cosmopoli-ering staying at Hamburg for at international event in the g world was early astir to-l was joined by thousands of rs from all places within They thronged Saalburg and points of vantage along the ong before the time of starting e. The weather was splendid. urse was 87½ miles, necessi-four circuits to complete the stance of 350 miles. It was in t condition, though numerous urves, sudden falls and rises ep embankments at the side ed enough dangers to try the d nerve of the most experienc-ers. The course was excellent-by a large force of police and

eror William and the empress, Henry of Prussia, and other s of the royal family entered al stand shortly after six They received a great. His majesty, who wore the of a Hussar before the began, exchanged a few words enatzy. Germany's hope, and great interest in his car. The r appeared to keenly enjoy the ndings and was interested in details of the course. During enoon, accompanied by Ambas-Tower, his majesty left the tand and proceeded to another some distance off, so as to get r view of certain parts of the The emperor remained on und till noon, when he went off otor to take luncheon at Ham-astle.

enatzy Has Narrow Escape.

start was made punctually at 7 , a flourish of trumpets signal-e departure. Jenatzy, the hold-he James Gorden Bennett cup, oting past the royal stand salut-Emperor and Empress. The cars, eighteen in all, were start-regular intervals of seven min with the exception of the car by Baron De Caters, which was d by a slight breakdown. The ameican in the race was Mar-ho drove an American car. motors went off at a very fast he leaders doing a mile a min-They all completed the first cir-fely, with the exception of Opel, who was obliged to retire ow-a broken shaft. Jenatzy, however, narrowly escaped a catastrophe early in the race. At the bottom of a long straight incline, approaching the village of Wehrhrm is a level crossing. Jenatzy was nearing the bottom of this incline, the fastest bit of the whole course, when the frantic shouts of the spectators induced him to slacken his speed. A few seconds later Jenatzy came in sight of the crossing and saw there on a locomotive right in the middle of his course. But for the fact that he had prevoiusly slackened his speed, Jenatzy must have met with disaster. The incident however, only cost him a minutes delay.

Half an hour latter Apel broke a shaft while speeding through the main street of Wehrhrm. Apel was not injured, but he was obliged to retire.

Thery won the race. His total time was five hours, 50 minutes and 2 seconds, and Jenatzy's was six hours, 1 minute and 21 seconds. Jenatzy arrived at the winning post first, but his actual running time was eleven minutes and eighteen seconds longer than the Frenchman.

INFANT

Son of Charles Scott, of Beaverdam Drowned.

Harold, the one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scott, of Beaverdam, was drowned in a cistern at the rear of the Scott home in that village about 5 o'clock last evening. The little one removed a wooden covering from the cistern top and fell into the water. The mother heard the splash and immediately called assistance but the child drowned before he could be rescued.

WAS WASTING AWAY.

"I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years," writes Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." Sold by H. F. Vortkamp. and W. M. Melville.

WONDERFUL SURGERY.

Chicago, June 17.—A surgical operation, said to have been but once before successfully paralleled in surgeon history, is believed to have been accomplished here, saving the life of 15 year old Edward Peltz, who had attempted to commit suicide. Peltz fired a bullet into his heart, while despondent over the loss of employment. With death impending at every tick of the watch, Dr. Carl Wagner, of St. Joseph's hospital placed six stitches in the bullet-torn heart, effectually stopping the hemorrhage.

The patients condition is said at the hospital to warrant belief that he will recover. The bullet, which had pierced the lungs and passed through the heart was found in the thoracic cavity and removed.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets Better than a Doctor's Prescription.

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CORBIN PROMOTED.

Washington, June 17.—Major Gen. Henry C. Corbin has been ordered to command the division of the Philippines, succeeding Major General J. F. Wade, the order to take effect in October. General Corbin at present commands the division of the Atlantic and department of the east, with headquarters at Governon's Island, N. Y. He will have had about a year and a half of service in the Philippine's when Lieut. Gen. Chaffee reaches the retiring age. It is expected that Maj. Gen. Corbin will then succeed Gen. Chaffee as lieutenant general.

WARNING.

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases. H. F. Vortkamp and W. M. Melville.

WANTS THE LETTERS.

Columbus, O., June 17.—Judge Thompson, of the U. S. court dismissed the jury in the case of the state against L. G. Marple, W. C. Marple Isaac K. Davis and Jos. W. Barber, charged with misuse of the mail until These are at his home in Greenville could produce envelopes in which the alleged swindling letters were sent. These are at his home in Grenoville Jones says. The case involving men of business prominence, is attracting considerable attention.

Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets instantly relieve the stomach and aid digestion. They are as pleasant as loaf sugar and cure dyspepsia, sour risings, catarrh of the stomach and indigestion. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp.

COLORADO EXCURSIONS.

Cheap round trip rates to various points in Colorado, Utah and Western points, June to Sept. See agent.

june&july., W. S. MORRISON.

Easily Explained.

"Here is another example of faulty English," said the teacher of the class in rhetoric. "In this essay you have written, 'Her sight broke upon a landscape of entrancing loveliness.' How could any one's sight 'break upon' a landscape?"

"She might have dropped her eyes," timidly ventured the young woman who had written the essay.—Chicago Tribune.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for dyspepsia, dizziness, headache, liver or bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

LOW FARES TO CHICAGO VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

June 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th, excursion tickets to Chicago, account republican national convention, will be sold from all ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines. For full information regarding rates, time of trains, etc., call on local ticket agent of those lines. d&w-3-13t

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION.

The Erie Railroad will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates to Chicago, June 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th. For information on trains etc., call phone 60.

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A DREADFUL PEST.

The Cape Sable Horsefly of the Lower Florida Swamps.

A dreadful pest of the lower Florida swamps is the Cape Sable horsefly. Specimens measure an inch and a quarter in length. Their bite draws blood like the thrust of a knife. Imagine a swarm of them darting around one like so many humming birds! Fortunately they are not, at least early in the season, particularly inclined to attack man. The only domestic animal that can live in this country is the mule, and even his tough hide requires a flyproof stable for his protection and a suit of armor when outdoors. One day I engaged a mule and tipcart to save several miles of weary lugging along the strip of prairie before we struck off into the interior to visit a great rookery. When the guide brought the animal, it presented a truly remarkable appearance, clad in a suit of burlap that would have afforded complete protection, save that the legs of the "trousers" had been slit down, as the animal could hardly have been induced to put them on. So the flaps hung dangling about the legs, the ears projected above, and the calm eyes gazed out through the loopholes, surveying the swarm of flies and the stranger. We left him tied to a palm tree for the day. At dusk when we returned the legs of the poor beast were dripping with blood, and he was fairly frantic with pain. We had a stormy experience in harnessing him, having to be very spry to avoid being killed by the flying hoofs.—Country Life in America.

Origin of Knives.

The first knives, according to the conclusions of a scientist who has made a study of the subject, were fractured stones that happened to have a sharp cutting edge. But the vegetable kingdom also furnishes very keen cutting edges in the leaves and stalks of certain plants, which might have been availed of before artificial knives were made. The fractured stone knife easily suggested the shaping of flaked stones, like flint, into the form of blades. Among the Seri Indians on Tiburon island, in the gulf of California, the primitive custom of utilizing fractured and water worn stones for knives still exists.

England's Largest House.

The proud distinction of being the largest house in England is generally accorded to Lord Fitzwilliam's Yorkshire seat, Wentworth Woodhouse. Of this house it is said that the three principal entrances are so far distant from each other that visitors are advised to bring three hats with them, one to be kept at each point of egress. A house which is 600 feet long, has a hall in which two average suburban villas could be comfortably placed and boasts a room for every two days of the year is certainly large enough to satisfy any reasonable ambition.

He Told Her the Worst.

"Doctor," said the beautiful young woman who had become the wife of a rich old man, "tell me the worst. I will be brave and try to bear it."

Leading her gently from her suffering husband's bedside the doctor answered:

"Nerve yourself, then, for a terrible shock. He's going to get well."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Beginning Afresh.

Mr. Vexall (angrily)—I hate a woman who always contradicts everything a man says. If I don't I'm an idiot. Mrs. Vexall (sweetly)—Well, dear, I'll turn over a new leaf and commence right now by not contradicting you.

A Hair Restorer.

"You promised me," she said coldly, "to return the lock of hair I gave you and"—

"Gee whiz!" he interrupted. "Do you take me for a hair restorer?"—Exchange.

The safest way of not being very miserable is not to expect to be very happy.—Schopenhauer.

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Indiana oil	1.06
Somerset oil	1.04
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Sued By His Doctor.

"A doctor here has sued me for $12.50, which I claimed was owing for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White, of Coachella, Cal. "At the trial he praised his medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy he used as I had good reason to believe it was, and he would not say under oath that it was not." No doctor could use a better remedy than this in a case of cholera morbus, it never fails. Sold by all druggists.

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60 pieces embroidered pineapple tissue, a fine sheer crisp cloth with embroidered stripes in fancy designs, all colors—regularly 25c, through this fortunate purchase our price to you is

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40 inch fine lawn in plain colors, light blue, royal blue, red, cardinal, canary, nile, heliotrope, tan, gray, and black, splendid value

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28-inch printed dotted swiss muslin in all colors, pink with white, light blue with white, navy with white, white with red, white with blue, white with pink and white with black, worth 25c, at

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Gilt Waist Sets 5c Each.

Special lot gilt pin sets for waist and collar, regular price 10c, for this Friday and Saturday

At 5c a Set.

New Pillow Tops.

Two lots new fancy pillow tops and pillow covers. More than 300 of them and no two alike.

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National Bond writing paper in pound packages (120 sheets) color royal blue, regular price 25c, this Friday and Saturday

At 15c a pound.

Envelopes to match this National Bond paper, regular value 10c

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Fancy Laces 10c Yard.

Special lot handsome fancy laces, both edges and insertions, 3 to 6 inches wide, regular value 15c to 25c, for this sale

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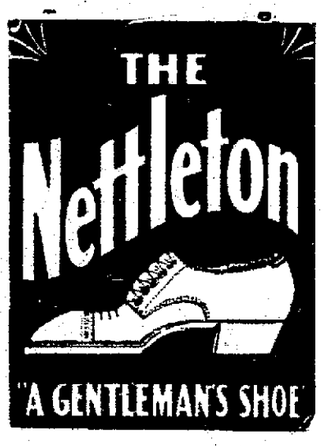

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OIL MARKET GOES DOWN.

Lima Oil Reduced Three Cents, Eastern Off Two and Kansas Goes Down Five Cents on the Barrel.

The second slash of the month at the oil market occurred today, the Standard announcing a reduction in the price of all of the crude production except Kansas heavy oil and Ragland oil. The quotations show a reduction of two cents on the barrel on eastern oil, Lima and Indiana crude is off 3 cents and Kansas oil is reduced 5 cents on the barrel. Following are the new quotations:

Tiona oil	$1 72
Penna. oil	1.57
Corning oil	1.37
New Castle oil	1.44
Cabell oil	1.32
North Lima oil	1.08
South Lima oil	1.03
Indiana oil	1.03
Somerset oil	1.02
Ragland oil	.66
South Neodesha oil	1.02
North Neodesha oil	.83
Bartlesville oil	.87
Kansas heavy oil	.55

ILLNESS

Of Long Duration Is Ended by Hand of Death.

Mrs. Eva Mary Walther Passed to Rest Last Midnight—Funeral Service to be Held Monday.

Mrs. Eva Mary Walther, one of the pioneer mothers of this city, passed to rest last midnight at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Philip Runiger, of north West street, after an illness of two years, from muscular rheumatism. Her long sufferings she bore with remarkable Christian patience and with perfect resignation to the will of her Creator. The deceased was the widow of the late George J. Walther, who departed from this life, Nov. 9, 1892. She was born in Germany, October 18, 1829 and came to this city with her husband in 1866. She had been a constant resident of Lima ever since.

To mourn the loss of a good kind Christian mother, are three sons—Philip, Fred and Leonard Walther—and four daughters—Mrs. M. L. Dibling, Mrs. Jno. W. Schnabel, Mrs. Philip Runiger and Mrs. Jacob Huffman, all of this city. The deceased was a life long and ardent member of the German Reformed Church, and the last sad rites over her remains will be held at that church on west Wayne street, Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. Paul H. Land, the pastor, will officiate. The body will be consigned to a final resting place in Woodlawn.

CHICAGO

And New York Teams Won Yesterday.

Reds Played An Exhibition Game at Erie, Penna.

Only Two Games Scheduled In the National League For Today and Two For American League Teams.

The Reds played an exhibition game at Erie, Pa., yesterday, defeating the Erie team by a score of 13 to 3. Chicago and New York teams both won yesterday, making their lead greater over Cincinnati.

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 5, Boston 1.
New York 4, St. Louis 3.
Pittsburg 5, Philadelphia 1.

Games Today.

Philadelphia at Boston, 2 games.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	PC
New York	31	16	659
Chicago	30	16	652
Cincinnati	21	18	633
Pittsburg	25	22	532
St. Louis	22	23	489
Brooklyn	21	29	420
Boston	18	29	383
Philadelphia	9	34	209

American League.

Chicago 5, Boston 3.
Washington 5, Cleveland 3.
Detroit 6, Philadelphia 5.
New York 10, St. Louis 3.

Games Today.

Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Detroit.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	PC
Boston	32	17	653
Chicago	29	21	580
New York	27	20	574
Cleveland	24	21	533
Philadelphia	25	22	532
St. Louis	22	23	489
Detroit	19	27	413
Washington	9	36	200

LIMA MEN THERE.

The Upper Sandusky Daily Chief tells of the recording of the following oil leases:

Larue & Hubbard, of Lima, have secured leases from the following parties: Three hundred and twenty-one acres in Crawford township, from L. S. Bookwalter and Anna Bookwalter; 173 acres in Crawford township from S. Shuman.

Howard B. Longsworth, of Lima, was given a lease by Jacob Bachar for 110 acres in Ridge township.

NOTICE TO PAVE.

The following persons whose address is unknown, are hereby notified of the passage of the following resolution passed by the city council, May 31, 1904: W. H. Harper, Edgar J. Sandford, S. M. Marmon.

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